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# TEN OUT.

## A Lively Tussle Is Certain.

## Senator Perkins to Be Fought.

### All the Candidates Possible Being Posted.

### The Plan Is to Secure Victory With a Combination Play.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—It has been an open secret here for some time past that despite all the assurances that have been made that Senator Perkins will succeed himself, such an event may not probably take place.

As a matter of fact, many of the "practical" politicians are quietly working against him and the way they are doing it is as follows:

Realizing that some delegations are pledged to Perkins and that many members of others have expressed their preference for him they will try and get as many candidates in the fight as follows and thus distribute the votes.

In this way they trust to break the Perkins combinations up and then get in and win with the man they finally decide on.

An idea of how far this has been already worked up can be obtained from the following list of candidates, all of whom, it is said, will be in the contest when the Legislature meets:

JOHN D. SPRECKELS,
C. H. PHILLIPS,
IRVING M. SCOTT,
C. N. FELTON,
GENERAL CHIPMAN,
JACOB NEFF,
M. M. ESTEE,
GOVERNOR MARKHAM,
M. H. DE YOUNG,
GEORGE C. PERKINS.

As regards the names on the list, Phillips, Scott and Perkins are avowed candidates, Spreckels and De Young on the quiet, Felton, Chipman and Neff waiting to come in, Markham ready to respond to a call by his friends, and Estee in lieu of his being beaten for the Governorship.

It ought to be a pretty race.

Senator Perkins is expected here Thursday next from Washington and will at once attend personally to his campaign.

What victory in modern competition can compare with the triumph won by Dr. Price's Baking Powder at the Chicago and California Midwinter Fairs.

## THE HONORED DEAD.

### Sir John Thompson's Remains on Their Last Journey.

LONDON, December 22.—After a night of pitiless rain, the weather cleared at 9 o'clock this morning, and under a bright sky, the body of Sir John Thompson, the late Premier of Canada, left London for Portsmouth amid the profound silence of a large crowd who stood with uncovered heads about the railroad station until the train was out of sight.

No stop was made until the train reached its destination.

The funeral procession reached Victoria station at 8:45 A. M.

The coffin was in an open four-horse hearse, which was followed by four mourning coaches.

Over the coffin was the Canadian flag, and upon the latter rested the Queen's laurel wreath, which she personally placed upon the temporary coffin, previous to the removal of the remains from Windsor Castle.

In the first carriage following the hearse was Senator Sanford.

## COURT NOTES.

### Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Mrs. Laura L. Carrick, by her attorney, George E. DeGolia, has instituted proceedings to obtain a divorce from her husband, Willard P. Carrick, on the ground of failure to provide. The defendant's whereabouts are unknown, but he is supposed to be somewhere in California.

The suit of John E. Plouff against M. L. Cavanaugh is to be dismissed at the request of Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, attorney for the plaintiff. The parties to the action were at one time engaged in selling patent medicine.

Mary Kruger has filed a cross-complaint in the suit of C. E. Lloyd, assignee of the Life Annuity Association, against Eliza C. Head and others, wherein she asks for a decree adjudging that she has a prior claim and lien upon the promissory note described in the complaint, amounting to $1784 30.

Lydia A. Gilmore, matron of the West Oakland Home, filed an answer in court today to the amended complaint of Margaret M. Hart for damages. Mrs. Gilmore denies all the allegations. The suit is the outcome of Miss Hart's arrest for disturbing the peace at the home.

Judge A. L. Frick has chosen Harry B. Belden, Richard Potts and W. F. Kroll to appraise the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased. Snook & Church are the attorneys for the estate.

The following have declared their intention of becoming American citizens: Samuel Lichtenstein, a native of Russia; Jose Cypricina Silveira, Portugal; Fritz Albert Arlburg, Sweden; John Thomas Carrier, Prince Edward Island.

## SHERIFF WHITE'S DEPUTIES.

### He Announces the Selection of His Assistants.

Sheriff-elect C. B. White has now decided upon those who he will appoint when he takes his office. Mr. White will appoint his son, Albert White, chief jailer at the County Jail and will retain William Lane as assistant jailer for a while, and perhaps permanently.

C. E. Lloyd has been selected to succeed W. S. Harlow as Under Sheriff, and J. W. Dutton, Samuel Heller, Hugh Smith and Charles White, also a son of the Sheriff-elect, will be court bailiffs. Mr. White will keep Mr. Harlow in the office until Mr. Lloyd becomes thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the office. The Sheriff-elect has had several hundred applications for the few positions at his disposal.

A contented mind is better than riches. Dr. Price's Baking Powder brings content.

# HOSED HIM.

## Peter Servin Was Dressed in His Best.

### So His Wife Treated Him to a Shower-Bath.

### On Another Occasion She Hit With a Chunk of Iron.

Sophia F. Servin is having a lively time to secure a divorce from Peter M. Servin. She wants a legal separation on the ground of cruelty, but her husband says that she is the one at fault, and that is why he has entered his protest in court to try and prevent her securing a divorce.

Mrs. Servin says that she really cannot understand the charges made against her by her husband. The husband says that his wife informed him: "I do not want him because I do not like him. He is the biggest rascal living. He is a devil. I hate him."

Mrs. Servin says that she does not understand this kind of talk and she wants her husband to explain.

Servin says that he can explain all right and tell a great deal more than is set forth in his answer. He says that his wife made a target of him; that she picked up a plate and fired it at his head, but he dodged and caught it on the elbow and it broke in pieces.

The husband is a religious man and he sometimes reads the Bible. "I was reading the Holy Book one day," said he in his answer, "when my wife got angry and threw a piece of iron at me. She called me vile names and told me that I ought to be hanged and she wished she had a pistol to kill me."

The husband says that this was not a happy reception to receive while he was at prayer.

A FIGHT FOR AN UMBRELLA.

The next escapade at the home was when there was a contest for the only umbrella in the house. The storm was raging and Servin wanted to use the umbrella and so did his wife. They had a tug-of-war with the result that the umbrella got the worst of it and fell to pieces.

But this tussle was not as lively as the dipper escapade. Servin says that his wife got a dipper of water and she was going to dash it in his face. He saw the play and proposed to beat it if he could. He made a leap and a grab and the dipper was then in jeopardy. Both pulled for possession and the dipper and the handle parted company.

But even that experience was not half as exciting as the events that came later. Servin dressed up in his best suit of clothes one day and was very swell parading around his backyard. He made his wife jealous with all his style. Mrs. Servin proposed to get even, and have a laugh on her husband, so she sneaked around and turned the hose on him. He was a sight when his wife got through with him, dressed in his best suit of clothes, as he was. Mr. Servin says that he was sick for weeks after he had been hosed.

It is set forth that Mrs. Servin displayed her remarkable strength one day when she stood off a man named Olsen and her husband. The men had gained her ill will by trying to enter the house. First she took her husband in hand and hurled him down a flight of stairs, a distance of fifteen feet. He never stopped bounding until he struck the street. Olsen laughed in his sleeve over the fate of his partner. In a moment he got it in the neck, for that is where Mrs. Servin's hand struck him, and he, too, went scooting down the stairs, landing all in a heap on the sidewalk.

And to all these charges Mrs. Servin has entered a demurrer.

## TO RULE RUSSIA.

BERLIN, December 22.—The *Voerwarts* today prints what it claims to be the draft of the new Russian constitution which the People's Rights party has prepared for Russia.

It provides for an imperial parliament and a diet for each province.

Each member of the imperial parliament is to represent 30,000 people and be elected by universal suffrage.

The Czar is to remain supreme head of the State.

# CHANGED.

## The Japs' Flags Are Waving.

## Port Arthur Now Well Fortified.

### The March to Monkden City Is Abandoned.

### Corean Affairs Are Being Handled With a Tight Rein.

YOKOHAMA, December 8th (per steamer City of Pekin, via San Francisco, December 22d).—General Oyama left Port Arthur December 1st, moving northward toward Min Chow, which he reached on the 2d.

A sufficient force was detached from the second army to occupy the fortifications.

Fifty-seven of the large caliber guns abandoned by the Chinese are serviceable and sixty-three of the smaller caliber are undergoing repairs by the Japanese artillery and will soon be put in order.

The harbor has been turned over to the navy.

The lower part of the Liao Tung peninsula is under the Japanese civil control, the natives gladly accepting the authority and protection of the conquerors.

Lines of telegraph are in course of extension along the eastern shore of the peninsula and complete connection with the headquarters of the first army at Kiuslin is soon expected. General Oyama's movements indicate a purpose to march upon Fu Chow, a town half way between Kin Chow and New Chwang, but no definite announcement of his plans has been made public.

Although Wei Hai Wei lies virtually defenseless at the southern side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pachili no steps toward its occupation have yet been taken.

Chee Foo is in a state of utter demoralization so far as the local authorities are concerned.

When the fugitives from Port Arthur began to pour into town, accompanied by the panic stricken runaways from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese officers applied to the foreign Consuls to land forces from the ships of war to defend the place from the native soldiery.

THE PORT ARTHUR SCANDAL.

The report that numbers of Chinese were needlessly slaughtered at Port Arthur receives no denial.

The fact appears to be that the Japanese were inflamed to madness at the spectacle of their mutilated comrades, which was the first thing that met their eyes on the entrance of one of the principal fortifications.

In their onset upon the garrison at this point, they showed no mercy until their thirst for revenge was satisfied.

This is the story now current, but it should be stated that although not contradicted, it does not find place in any of the official records of events.

The latest intelligence from Kiu Lin wholly discredits the Chinese rumors of Japanese reverses at Maties.

The mountain passes in that region are numerous, and while the Japanese were advancing by one route an attempt was made by another to strike them in the rear.

It was of no avail and had no disturbing effect upon the invading columns, but the march to Moukden appears to have been dropped out of the Japanese programme.

SEOUL, December 6.—The energy with which Count Inouye develops his projects of reform has a startling effect upon the Korean court.

On December 4th he had a second interview with the King from which not only the Queen but also the entire royal family and the officers of the household were excluded.

The vacillating sovereign was made to understand that if the Secretary's plots for the return of the King were allowed to continue, the capital should be again occupied by Japanese troops and martial law proclaimed.

The King was informed that the Minister of the Interior had been directly concerned in fomenting the Tong Hak insurrections, and was advised to dispense with the services of that official.

Before the day ended the unfaithful Minister had resigned.

**The Anarchists.**

ROME, December 21.—Three newspapers were confiscated today for publishing proceedings of a meeting of the League of Liberty, an anarchistic society.

Numbers of taxpayers have decided to refuse to pay new taxes and will test the validity of the law.

**The Hungarian Cabinet.**

BUDA PESTH, December 22.—The Hungarian cabinet ministers have sent a special messenger to the Emperor, at Vienna, tendering their resignation. The decision of the Emperor will be announced Thursday next. M. Banffy is expected to form the new cabinet.

## ARMENIAN AFFAIRS.

### A Thorough Investigation Ordered by the Powers.

VIENNA, December 22.—Advices from Constantinople say the Porte objects to part of the instructions given the delegates of foreign powers who are to follow with the Armenian Commission.

The powers, however, with the exception of Germany, refuse to modify their instructions and it was understood Great Britain is determined to make an impartial inquiry into the stories told of the Turkish atrocities and will insist upon the punishment of the guilty persons.

In addition, should the present inquiry fail to be as thorough as Great Britain expects, she will demand the appointment of a fresh commission.

Will the next President come from the West? Dr. Price's Baking Powder is favorite in every Western State.

**Safe in Port.**

NEW YORK, December 22.—Arrived, Normania, from Hamburg; Lucania, from Liverpool.

GIBRALTAR, December 22.—Passed, Fulda, from New York for Genoa.

BREMERHAVEN, December 22.—Arrived, Wesser, from New York, via Southampton.

**The Appelman Case.**

WOODLAND, Cal., December 22.—Owing to the illness of Carroll Cook's wife, the disability of District Attorney Head and the absence of witnesses for the defense, the court ordered an adjournment on the Appelman case this morning until Thursday, December 27th.

# HOW HE DIED.

## Story of the Passing Away of R. L. Stevenson.

### The Call Found the Novelist Hard at Work.

### King Malietoa of Samoa Is Preparing to Be Married.

[*Special Correspondence to the Associated Press per Steamer "Arawa."*]

SAMOA, December 4.—Robert Louis Stevenson, the eminent novelist, died at his beautiful home Vailima on Monday last, December 2d very suddenly.

He had been busy at work until 4 o'clock and had written what are said to be some of his finest passages and then left his work for dinner.

He had gone into the kitchen with his wife to prepare a favorite dish, and while there complained of a pain in the top of his head.

He returned to his drawing room and almost immediately fell back unconscious on a chair.

A physician was summoned, but his attendance was useless.

Stevenson never recovered consciousness and died at 8 o'clock the same evening.

The community was greatly shocked, and much regret was felt, although Stevenson had many opponents on account of his political views. Socially, he was highly esteemed.

When in good health, before his death, he had expressed a wish to be buried on the top of Vala Mountain, in a romantic spot 1400 feet above the sea level, known as "Vaa Soosla" (or Pigeon Catching Place of Soosla). The interment took place there yesterday.

ISLAND MATTERS.

The rebels have declared their intention of making armed resistance to the Government, and are rebuilding the forts at Lutunauu, recently destroyed by the British and German warships. Everything indicates that serious trouble may be expected.

The Chief Justice, owing to the illness of his daughter, has gone to New Zealand for two months' vacation. The President, Herr Schmidt, is acting as Chief Justice, who eat much dissatisfaction is expressed.

Information having been received by the authorities of a shipment of ammunition sent from Europe to Samoa, the cargoes of all incoming vessels will be searched and any war materials found confiscated.

King Malietoa is about to marry a girl named Sueina, daughter of one of the most powerful chiefs here, with a wide connection. It is thought that this marriage will strengthen Malietoa's position.

The labor question is not more important than the pure food question. The latter can always be settled by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## LOST HIS REASON.

### A Double Murder Was Too Much for an Attorney to Witness.

QUINCY, Ill., December 21.—Frank Trumbull, the attorney, who was present in the Council Bluffs Bank, when Clerk Huntington shot two detectives and himself, has become insane, the attack striking him at Newcomb Hotel, en route to his old home at Keokuk. It is thought that his mind was shattered by the scene at the bank.

**The Bank Statement.**

NEW YORK, December 22.—The weekly bank statement is: Reserve, increase $554,850; loans, decrease, $80,605,100; increase, $6,551,100; specie, increase, $6,551,000; legal tenders, decrease, $8,509,000; deposits, decrease, $1,294,200; circulation, increase, $36,200. The banks now hold $33,900,675 in excess of the legal requirements.

# TRAPPED.

## Royalists Headed Off Again.

## A Plot to Restore the Queen.

### Guns and Ammunition Found in Their Houses.

### The Provisional Government Is Hard to Kill Off Now.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The following special advices to the Associated Press arrived this morning on the steamer Arawa:

HONOLULU, December 14.—10 A. M.—The talk of the town this week is the unearthing of an alleged Royalist conspiracy.

Saturday evening last the police went to the house of John E. Bush and arrested him and E. C. Crick on a charge of conspiracy against the Government.

Upon searching the house seven rifles were found.

Soon after being lodged in jail Joseph Nawahi, a native lawyer, called to see them and was arrested on the same charge.

About midnight W. F. Weed and Emil Klemme were also arrested, the former as an accessory to the conspiracy and the latter for having arms in his possession unlawfully.

Several houses of suspects were searched on Sunday, but no arms were found.

Monday a thorough search of the house occupied by Crick brought to light four rifles, two pistols and 150 rounds of ammunition, all of which were concealed under the floor.

The prisoners are confined in separate cells and will be examined on Monday next, bail being refused in the meantime.

Bush has been publishing a small sheet daily in native and English in which he has been scoring the present Government and assuring the natives that the Queen would surely be restored.

Crick is an English chemist and was implicated in the alleged Walker-Sinclair conspiracy of a year ago.

After his arrest he appealed to British Commissioner Hawes for protection, but was told that nothing could be done for him.

Government officials are very reticent about the case, but claim to have abundant evidence to convict the principal conspirators.

SMUGGLERS TRIPPED UP.

Ninety pounds of opium, which came on the last Australian steamer was captured by the customs officials.

It was dropped overboard into a skiff concealed under the wharf and then buried.

The parties who owned the drug received information that Gilsey, the man to whom it had been delivered, intended to appropriate the whole, and rather than let him get away with it they gave the whole thing away. Gilsey pleaded guilty in the District Court and was sentenced to six months in jail and $250 fine.

GENERAL NOTES.

Chief Crowley is still here and has had some talk with Government officials in regard to the transfer of San Francisco lepers to Molokai, but nothing has been settled yet. The proposition is regarded with general disfavor here. The Chief will likely leave here by the China on the 31st inst.

There have been several shocks of earthquake on the island of Hawaii, and one on this island during the past week. The volcano of Kilanea is more active than ever, and some old settlers predict an overflow as the result of the earthquakes.

Captain John C. Biel, of the German bark Paul Isenberg, died suddenly yesterday morning. A coroner's jury found that the death resulted from an overdose of laudanum but there are suspicions that he met with foul play as he had trouble with his crew on the voyage to Germany.

Captain Perkins, well known in Honolulu and San Francisco shipping circles, was lost off the Arawa on the night of the 7th inst. He had recently purchased the condemned bark Elsinore. It seems to have been a clear case of suicide, as the sea was perfectly calm at the time.

Robert Louis Stevenson died at his home in Samoa on Sunday, December 2d. His death was very sudden, but no particulars are given. He was buried on a hill at the back of his residence.

**Who Lost Carpenters' Tools?**

The police want owners for a kit of carpenter's tools found in possession of Charles Miller, who was arrested by Officer Carson yesterday for vagrancy. The wooden handles of the tools are marked with the initials "D." and "D. T. E."

## THE WHIST GAMES.

### Result of the Tournament at the Acme Club.

The final results of the whist tournament have at last been obtained.

Weston and Champion won the first prize, Bernett and Wright won the second prize and Jacobus and Weber won the booby prize.

The schedule of the games is as follows:

| NAMES OF PLAYERS. | Played | Won | Lost | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Weston & Champion | 48 | 32 | 16 | .66 2-3 |
| Bernett & Wright | 48 | 31 | 17 | .64 7-12 |
| Williamson & Mullen | 45 | 29 | 16 | .64 4-9 |
| Humphreys & Rogers | 45 | 27 | 18 | .60 |
| Bronillet & Cowell | 45 | 26 | 19 | .57 7-9 |
| Selna & Voorhies | 45 | 25 | 20 | .55 5-9 |
| Simon & Champion | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Swain & Van Haltren | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Parsons & Ruppert | 45 | 23 | 22 | .51 1-9 |
| Slattery & Hamilton | 45 | 22 | 23 | .48 8-9 |
| Hawbaker & Youse | 45 | 21 | 24 | .46 2-3 |
| Jacobus & McCormick | 45 | 20 | 25 | .44 4-9 |
| Allen & Cook | 45 | 20 | 25 | .44 4-9 |
| Donovan & Hughes | 45 | 18 | 27 | .40 |
| Chambers & Briggs | 45 | 10 | 35 | .22 2-9 |
| Jacobus & Weber | 45 | 8 | 37 | .17 7-9 |

The merchant, the banker, the clerk, the mechanic, the farmer—all like food raised with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

**A Last Chance.**

TOPEKA, December 22.—In connection with the hunt for the murderer of Mrs. Matson, it has been decided to photograph the victim's eyes as possibly a means of finding a clue.

# SEVEN WARDS.

## A New Arrangement Proposed for Berkeley.

### How the Town Officers Are to Be Selected.

### The Board of Freeholders Busy on the New Charter.

The Board of Freeholders selected to prepare a new charter for Berkeley have so far decided on the following:

The town is to be divided into seven wards. Each ward is to be represented on the Board of Trustees by one member. The Board of Education will also be composed of seven members, each representing a ward. The Trustees and members of the Board of Education will be voted for by the electors of their respective wards, solely.

The officers of the town will be an Assessor, Marshal, Clerk and Treasurer, to be voted for by a general ballot.

Those members of the boards of trustees and education who represent even numbered wards shall hold office for four years.

The representatives of the odd-numbered wards shall be elected for two years.

The Attorney, Superintendent of Streets and Engineer shall be elected by the Board of Trustees, and hold office at its discretion.

No compensation is to be received by any member of the Board of Trustees, except the president, who as *ex-officio* Auditor, shall receive a sum fixed at the pleasure of the board.

A PLEASURE

Given is doubly enjoyed, by the one who gives sometimes more than the receiver. What pleasure is greater than to see the ones we love happy. The glad season of Christmas is here; let us try to have all the dear ones remembered, if not with an article of great value, some little token that we may enjoy their pleasure.

**Our Books**

Are selected with a view to suit all wants.

Single Volumes, - from 20c to $10
Sets of Fiction, History, Etc. - - - - 75c to $35
Children's Books - 5c to $1
A choice lot of illustrated paper covers.

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Are in great variety and at all prices

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**Leather Goods**

The department is overflowing with novelties and bargains of every kind

Purses and Card Cases (Silver mounted), from - - - $1.20 to $10
Writing Desks and Tablets - - - 75c to $12.50
Music Rolls - - 65c to 6 25
Photograph Frames 50c to 8.00
(A choice lot—new designs).

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Building Blocks,
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# HEARTY.

## Liberal Donations Coming In.

## Many a Home Will Be Made Glad.

### Everybody Who Can Should Send a Donation.

### Send In Your Gifts to "The Tribune" Relief Bureau.

Monday next the goods contributed to THE TRIBUNE Christmas Relief Bureau for the assistance of the poor will be distributed.

The donations consist of flour, cornmeal, coal, coke, groceries, clothing and toys.

They are not numerous enough, however, to satisfy the needs of one-tenth of the poor people who have made application for relief.

They will be made to go as far, however, as possible, and will be distributed with a great deal of care.

For the purpose of enabling people who are disposed to contribute to the relief of the needy, the Bureau will be kept open tonight, tomorrow morning until 12 o'clock, and Monday noon. During those times goods of any description which will be of any assistance to the poor will be received.

The latest donations are as follows:

Reed & Miller, a large sack of flour and a sack of potatoes.

Mrs. Dennis, a lot of books.

A Lady, a hat and a number of skirts.

A Little Girl, several cloth jackets.

Mrs. Pliny Bartlett, 1311 Franklin street, a wagon load of toys, boys' and girls' and men's and women's clothing.

Russell Seaman, 1204 Harrison street, an assortment of toys.

A Friend, 25 cents cash.

Mrs. Donaho, several packages of rice and cans of preserves.

"A friend of the poor" sent a check for $5.

E. M. Corliss of 1020 Eighth street generously left $2 50 for the fund.

Thomas Moran, the well-known capitalist, sent in a well-selected bill of goods this afternoon. There was nothing in the collection save such as could be put to use by a family in indigent circumstances, and the donation resembled a small-sized grocery.

No name—Mush, beans and rice.

A friend—Some tea and sugar.

H. Schellhaas, the enterprising furniture man, sent in 100 loaves of bread.

The Log Cabin Bakery also promised to send in a large donation of bread Monday.

Will women rule in the next century? They rule now where Dr. Price's Baking Powder is used.

**Money for Christmas.**

Auditor Snow is preparing a nice Christmas present for the city's employes. He and Deputy Hinsdale are working hard to have the salary warrants for December ready by next Monday.

The Street Department employes will be paid up to the 15th.

Teachers' warrants are being paid today.

## GRANT RESPONDS.

### The Great Yacht Race May Yet Come Off.

NEW YORK, December 22.—The following cable was received by ex-Commodore James Smith of the America's Cup Committee this morning:

"COWES, December 22d.
"*To Smith, Yacht Club, New York*—Thanks for your cable. Special meeting fixed for 7th of January.
(Signed) "GRANT."

This is evidently a reply to the America's Cup Committee's cable of Thursday making concessions as to the date of the race.

**"Wild and Woolly."**

WINSBORO, Tex., December 22.—News comes of a serious cutting affray at Pictou, between Professor J. B. Gay and Wilmer Randolph, a school boy, who would not obey. Professor Gay started to whip the boy, who stabbed him and ran. Gay drew a knife and cut the boy. It is thought that both will die.

A BURNING QUESTION.

HUSBAND—Nellie, what are you paying for coal oil; I see the E. G. Buswell Paint Co. is advertising 10 gallons of water white Eastern oil for $1 25, delivered?

WIFE—Yes, I saw the ad and was going to try it, but my dealer said to look out for it, we would all be blown up.

HUSBAND—Nonsense; don't you believe it; they tell you this to frighten you. Two or three of my friends have tried the oil and say it is the best they ever used. Just address a postal card for 10 gallons to

E. G. BUSWELL PAINT CO.
S. E. Cor. [illegible] and Broadway

# MEYER'S MISS.

## He Thought He Was Buying First Class Bonds.

### A Heavy Investment Made in the Piedmont Line.

### How He Has Brought Suit to Get His Money Back.

Daniel Meyer, the San Francisco capitalist, may find himself a little out of pocket before he gets through with the Piedmont Consolidated Street Railway Company. Daniel has been looked upon as a clever financier, but it looks very much as though he has been nipped this time.

In May, 1891, the Piedmont road was in pretty good shape and Meyer thought that it was a fair investment. Montgomery Howe, Samuel Howe and Phebe A. Blair went to him to negotiate a loan of $30,000. The financier told them to draw up their promissory note and put up the necessary securities and he would advance the money.

On May 15, 1891, a note for $30,000 was drawn up and signed by the Howes and Mrs. Blair. The note was made payable in eight months, with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum. From the time that note was drawn, the Piedmont road went on the down grade and kept on going until it landed in the hands of a receiver.

However, Meyer had security for the note in the shape of forty bonds of the Piedmont company, valued at $1000 each. It was supposed that these bonds were amply sufficient to cover the note in case of default.

Meyer got tired of waiting for his money, and so he commenced a suit against the Howes and Mrs. Blair to recover the full amount on the promissory note. The defendants had no defense to make, for the note spoke for itself. This morning the case was called for trial in the Superior Court, and Meyer told his story of how he had parted with his money and got the forty bonds. He was given a judgment against the defendants for $32,849 53.

The bonds that are in his possession are now to be sold. It has been stipulated that in case Meyer buys the bonds in at the sale he shall pay a sum aggregating not less than $20,000. This stipulation would indicate that the parties in control of the road believe that the bonds have depreciated just one-half in value.

"It makes my housework much easier" writes a St. Louis housewife of Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## A SPLENDID DISPLAY.

### Fred Becker's Enterprise at His Big Meat Establishment.

One of the finest holiday displays in the city is made by Fred Becker at the Grand Central Market, on Washington street, between Eighth and Ninth. It is a display of dressed carcasses and prepared meats, which is claimed to be, in many of its more important features, unequaled this Christmas season by any other meat establishment in the United States. It is certainly as artistic in its make-up as it is gigantic in proportions, and it is honestly entitled to the unreserved admiration which it is drawing from the multitudes constantly inspecting it.

The display embraces the dressed carcasses of 157 horned cattle, which have been fattened on the best of provender, the heaviest turning the scales at 1100 pounds; 300 sheep, 130 lambs, 100 hogs and 125 suckling pigs. Some of the cattle have been put into service to furnish one of the novelties of the exhibition, namely, a harnessed team of six hitched to a miniature butcher wagon, and a suitable teamster for it.

The legend of the Grand Central Meat Market is imprinted on some of the mammoth carcasses that adorn the exterior of the establishment, and is self-explanatory; it reads thus: "Becker leads; all others follow."

A glance at the long rows of dressed quarters of fat beeves, carcasses of pork and mutton, and the great piles of cured and cooked meats, supplemented by the steady stream of incoming and outgoing patrons, is ample verification of the truth of the legend, "Becker undoubtedly does lead, and all others must of necessity follow."

One interesting fact associated with the display is that everything is home product. The Grand Central Meat Market is a hive of industry, and every part of the hive is open to public inspection. The cold-storage rooms, the cooking and frying vats, the packing houses, the engine and boiler rooms and machine shops and the electric light motor department, are all in the basement below, and are models of cleanliness. There can be no double lurking in the mind of any one concerning the condition of any article of food sold on the counters in the great store above, after a thorough inspection of the premises below.

Mr. Becker employs forty-six men on the premises and his weekly payroll foots up over $700, and and everything connected with its management comes under his personal supervision.

One of the interesting features connected with the display is an electric fountain, a facsimile of that which delighted the multitude at the Midwinter Fair. This fountain will be in full play this evening, and the crowds that will undoubtedly flock to the market will be entertained likewise by a brass band. It was intended to have had the band playing last night, but the storm forced a postponement until tonight.

**Another Bicycle Thief.**

Charles Atkinson, who claims to room on Franklin street, hired a wheel from George Faulkner this afternoon. He immediately came down town, and after in vain attempting to sell the wheel to Billy Kehler, was arrested by Officer Carson and booked at the City Prison on a charge of grand larceny.

NEW PIANOS $175 AT SHERMAN & CLAY'S, 13th & Broadway

# TO INVESTIGATE.

## Collector Wise's Case Before the Commissioner.

### Much Work Is Accumulating in Congress.

### A Number of Suits Started Against the Income Tax.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The denial of Collector Wise of San Francisco of the charges of violation of the Civil Service law was shown to Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt today.

Roosevelt said: "The charges were filed with the commissioner some time ago, and will be given a thorough investigation before the commissioner can tell whether or not they have any foundation. The charges are not as grave in the case of Collector Wise as are those in the cases of certain other officials which the commission intends to investigate in the immediate future.

## THE SENATE.

### Senator George Objects to the Holiday Recess.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Senator George (Miss.), has objected to the resolution for the holiday adjournment, which, as the Senate is without a quorum, may prevent the usual holiday recess.

In his speech George said it was not his purpose to annoy the Senators, but simply to have a fair expression on the question of delaying or facilitating business.

If the Senate adopted the resolution a third of the session would have expired before a single appropriation had passed.

At the conclusion of his speech Senator George asked that the adjournment resolution go over until Monday, which led to debate.

At 12:10 George took the floor and withdraw his objection to the adjournment resolution, which was passed without objection.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations:

Charles H. Mansur of Missouri, Assistant Comptroller of the Treasury.

Marshall Peter of Petersburg, Ind., Indian Agent, Klamath Agency, Oregon.

Thomas B. Tetor of West Virginia, Indian Agent, Fort Hall Agency, Idaho.

## THE HOUSE.

### Members Still Talking on the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—There were but a few members on the floor when the House convened this morning.

A few bills were passed by unanimous consent.

One was passed on the motion of Doolittle, Washington, to grant American Registry to the barks Linda of North Carolina, and Archer, Washington.

The debate on the currency bill was then resumed.

## TACKLING THE TAX.

### Grover's Income Bill Will Go Into the Courts.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Today Jeremiah Wilson, counsel for John G. Moore of the New York banking firm of Moore & Schley, applied to Judge Cole of the equity branch of the Supreme Court, District of Columbia, for an order restraining John S. Miller, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, from assessing and collecting the tax upon his income.

This is only one of a number of legal attacks which will soon be made upon the income tax.

Each suit will be based on different grounds.

# MASONS MOURN.

## The Square and Compass at the Graveside.

### Funeral of M. W. Murry at Mountain View.

### Oriental Lodge of San Francisco Conducted the Services.

The funeral of the late M. W. Murry took place this afternoon from the family home, on the corner of Lake and Jackson streets.

The funeral was held under the auspices of Oriental Lodge, No. 144, Free and Accepted Masons of San Francisco, of which the deceased was a member.

The remains of the deceased reposed in a handsome casket in the spacious parlor of the house. The bier was surrounded by many handsome floral pieces sent as tokens of esteem by friends of the deceased.

At 2 o'clock the services were held by the Masons at the house. The officers in charge of the services were: Charles Bone, worshipful master; Frank Bacon Ladd, senior warden; Edward Bentley Church, junior warden; George Howard Thomson, treasurer; Adolphus Skinner Hubbard, secretary; James Hargraves Wallace, marshal; William Rheinhard Jost, senior deacon, William Fletcher Empey, junior deacon, and Robert Boyes, and Francis E. Bridges, stewards.

The worshipful master read the Masonic service after which a quartet composed of Ben Clark, J. R. Ogilvie, J. O. Low, and J. R. Jones rendered some music.

After the services the casket was carried from the house by the pall bearers, consisting of John Touningsen, H. L. Read, G. H. Wallace, C. S. Crittenden, C. W. Wright and E. C. Bowes.

The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery. The services at the grave were conducted by the Masons.

Albert Brown had charge of the funeral arrangements.

# SNOW SHOVELS.

## Men Are Being Paid $1 50 an Hour.

### Labor in Great Demand on the Railroad.

### A Number of Buildings Are Crushed in at Sisson.

SISSON, Cal., December 22.—The snow that fell during the last few days measures ninety-six inches.

The road between this place and Dunsmuir is completely blockaded.

The rotary snow-plow from Dunsmuir broke down five miles north of this place this morning at 4 o'clock.

The Methodist Church fell in yesterday morning, and was followed by Bowler's livery stable, the Siskiyou Lumber and Mercantile Company's slaughter house, the Mount Shasta Manufacturing Company's warehouse, and a building belonging to the Pioneer Box Factory.

Numerous other small buildings have succumbed to the heavy snow.

Snow shovelers are in demand and are paid $1 50 per hour.

It is thought that the train will be got through today.

DROWNED IN THE FLOOD.

STOCKTON, Cal., December 22.—William Sievers, 68 years of age, and an old resident, was drowned last night on the road to the lower French Camp, south of this city.

He was driving to his chicken ranch. The high water from a small stream had washed out a portion of the road, and in the dark, the old man drove into the break. His wagon was over turned and he was drowned.

The buggy was found this morning.

# A LANDSLIDE.

## Traffic Blockaded on the Santa Cruz Line.

### Thousands of Tons of Earth Give Way.

### The Accident Happened Close to the Surf City.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SANTA CRUZ, Cal, December 22.—A huge landslide, carrying thousands of tons of earth, tore down on the track of the narrow gauge railroad at Rincon early this morning.

The track for a quarter of a mile was covered to a depth of several feet by the debris.

A large force of men was at once dispatched to the scene.

Freight train No. 12, which left Santa Cruz at 6 o'clock, and passenger train No. 4, which left at 7:45 o'clock carrying the pay car, were unable to proceed and were sent back to Santa Cruz. Both trains were bound for Oakland.

Train No. 1, which left Oakland this morning, was also halted until the debris was removed.

No damage has been done the track.

Rincon is a small station four miles from Santa Cruz.

ALL RIGHT NOW.

2:30 P. M.—The blockade has been removed, and the trains are proceeding on their way.

## CHARMING CLOAKS.

### Every Lady Should Visit the Palace Store.

There is nothing which so adds to the appearance of a lady on the streets as a lasty, beautiful, stylish and becoming cape, cloak or mantle, which is in keeping with the lady's means and the season. The fact is appreciated by the ladies of Oakland, and adds immeasurably to the reputation which they enjoy as having the most discriminating of tastes. The only house in this city which can enable the ladies to indulge this propensity is the Palace Cloak Store, 1009 and 1011 Washington street.

This house enjoys the patronage of the most exclusive circles, and indeed of every lady who desires to be fashionably cloaked or mantled. It has the largest and richest stock of imported and domestic fur capes on the coast. The Palace Cloak Company is the agent for the Arctic Fur Company, which gives an advantage enjoyed by no others in this section. The establishment is attracting hundreds of customers and is especially doing a large business during these holidays.

*Auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 425 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

## DAINTY AND CHEAP.

### Splendid Goods at the California Furniture Store.

There are hundreds of people visiting San Francisco from this city every day and evening during this joyous period. They go there to see the sights and make purchases when available.

But there is no store or emporium in the metropolis which attracts more attention than that of the California Furniture Company, 117 and 123 Geary street. The display is most attractive and the goods are of a style of richness and elegance never equaled in San Francisco. The daintiest ideas in furniture which have ever been suggested are worked out in the marvelous display of this celebrated company. Hundreds of sales are taking place by night and day and out of respect to the demand of their patrons the California Furniture Company will keep their great store open every night until after the holidays.

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## ALL KINDS KEPT.

### Choice Furniture Stock at Zeller & Arps.

The greatest holiday trade ever done in the furniture line in this city is being done by the Empire Furniture Company, the proprietors of which are Zeller & Arps, 1060 Broadway, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

This enterprising firm, not content with having one of the largest and most complete furniture stocks in the Western country, which they are selling off with amazing rapidity at the lowest prices, have stocked their house with a variety of goods in the furniture line suitable for holiday presents. These include desks, fancy tables, beautiful rockers, easy chairs, beautiful book stands and an indefinite variety of other goods which will be appreciated by every recipient.

Besides, their bedroom suits for $20, $25 and $30 of oak, which are highly carved and finished, are going with a rush, and the purchasers, in some instances, say they intend them as Christmas presents for their children, and, in other cases, they are given by children to their parents.

No matter what it is that may be needed in the furniture line it can be found at Zeller & Arps' in profusion, and at the lowest prices.

**See What Snaps**

You can get for Xmas in jewelry, diamonds and watches, and on such easy terms that you will not feel the expenses. See our stock. M. J. Heineman, room 26, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

**A New Trial for Mrs. Worthington**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The State Supreme Court this morning granted a new trial to Mrs. Worthington, the wife of a local newspaper artist, who is now serving a twenty year term in San Quentin Penitentiary for the murder of Harry Bardleigh, whom she shot over a year ago.

*Christmas Presents at auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 425 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

We received 100 fur capes, worth $6 50, now offered at $4 50. Palace Cloak Company, 1009-1011 Washington street.

**A Handsome Present.**

A case of assorted sweet wine for $3 50, at Hirschler & Co., 18 Market street, San Francisco.

When in doubt as to what to give for Christmas, drop into Hirschler & Co., liquor merchants, 18 Market street, San Francisco, who can suit the taste of the most fastidious.

Full assortment of Holiday Neckties and Fancy Silk Suspenders, Silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, etc., at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1011-1019 Broadway.

**Free Market Open Monday.**

The Oakland Free Market, Fourth, Fifth, Clay and Washington streets, will be open Monday, December 24th.

Keep Warmers, or Ulsters for $8 50, worth $12. J. T. Moran, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

**DIED.**

BROWN—In this city, December 20, 1894, Julia S., wife of E. V. Brown and mother of Mrs. C. H. King, a native of Bowling Green, Kentucky, aged 67 years and 8 months.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, December 23d, at 1 o'clock P. M., from the residence of C. H. King, 1029 Sixth avenue, East Oakland. Interment private.

**MARRIED.**

BILGER—SIEBE—In this city, December 18, 1894, by Rev. A. Jatho, Frank William Bilger of San Leandro and Carrie T. Siebe of Oakland.


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**DIVIDEND NOTICE.**

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all time accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895. A. E. H. CRAGER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895. G. H. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895. GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.


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**Stockholders' Annual Meeting.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 2 P. M. G. H. YATES, Cashier. W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.

**ANNUAL MEETING.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895. E. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.
Oakland, December 21, 1894.


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# MELODY.

## Christmas Carols in Church.

## Special Services to Be Given.

## Arrangements Announced by the Pastors.

### How the Day of Peace and Good-will Is to Be Passed.

The Christmas services at the churches this year will be unusually good, as will be seen by some of the musical programmes given herewith:

**First Congregational Church.**

[illegible]

Organ prelude, grand chorus in D ...... *Alex Guilmant*
Responsive Scripture ......
Congregation standing.
Congregational hymn, No. .. in Hymnal...
Chorus ...... *Oliver King*
Offertory, tenor solo ...... *A. Tosti*
Congregational hymn, the select Songs ......
Congregation standing.
Tenor solo, *Messiah* ......
Isaiah xl.
Haggai ii.
Alto solo, *Messiah* ......
Isaiah ix.
Chorus ...... *Field*
Luke ii.
Soprano solo and double quartet ... *Dudley Buck*
Luke ii:15.
Quartet and chorus, "Holy Night" ...... *Bone*
Hymn, 2-3 Select songs ...... *Mendelssohn*
Congregation standing.
Soprano solo, duet, quartet and chorus .. *Shelley*
Matthew ii.
Bass solo and chorus ...... *Shelley*
Isaiah xxxii.
Chorus ...... *Stephen Adams*
"The Star That Led to God" ......
St. John xiv.
Oratorio, "De Noel" ...... *C. Saint-Saens*
Postlude, "March for a Church Festival" ...... *W. T. Best*
Benediction.

**First Presbyterian Church.**

MORNING SERVICE 10:30 A. M.

Organ prelude—(a) Pastorale (From Sonata in D Minor) (b) Finale ...... *Guilmant*
Doxology, "Old Hundredth" ......
Te Deum, Festival in D ...... *Dudley Buck*
Reading of the Scripture
"The First Christmas," (A Carol Anthem)
(a) The Annunciation ......
(b) The Message of the Shepherds
(c) Cradle Song of the Virgin ......
(d) Gloria in Excelsis ......
...... *Joseph Barnby*
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Cantique de Noel" ...... *Adolph Adam*
Reading of the Scripture.
Hymn No. 520, "Herald Angels" ... *Mendelssohn*
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Manger Cradle" ...... *W. H. Neidlinger*
Notices.
Offering.
Contralto Solo, "Lullaby" ...... *C. E. Osgood*
The Sermon.
Hymn No. 231, "Adeste Fidelis" ... *John Reading*
Special Notice.
"Gloria in Excelsis" (Messe Solonelle) ...... *Charles Gounod*
Benediction.
Organ postlude, "Finale" ...... *Lemmens*

EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Organ prelude, "Grand Offertory in F" ... *Batiste*
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" *Chas. Vincent*
Reading of the Scripture
Hymn No. 213, "Duke Street" ...... *J. Hatton*
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Dream of Bethlehem" ...... *C. W. Coombs*
Notices
Offering.
Soprano solo, with violin obligato, "My Heart Ever Faithful" ...... *J. S. Bach*
The Sermon
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Birthday of the King" ...... *W. H. Neidlinger*
Hymn No. 231, "Italian Hymn," *Felice Giardini*
Special Notice.
"The First Christmas," (a Carol Anthem) ...... *Joseph Barnby*
Organ postlude, "March in E Flat," *Th. Salome*

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**

MORNING.

"Exalt Him" ...... *Hanscomb*
"The Holy Child" ...... *Shelley*

EVENING.

"Come Ye Lofty, Come Ye Lowly" .... *Schnecker*
"Noel" ...... *Adam*
"There Were Shepherds" ...... *Buck*
"Glory to Heaven's Eternal King" ...... *Meyer Lutz*
"The Birthday of a King" ...... *Neidlinger*
"The Nativity" ...... *Hilton*
"Bethlehem" ...... *Bartlett*
Miss Dora Goodsell, soprano.
Miss Esther Needham, contralto.
W. W. Davis, tenor.
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Chorus of forty voices.

**First Unitarian Church.**

Organ voluntary ......
Professor E. Kaltenbach.
Anthem: "Christ Alone" ...... *Mozart*
The Chorus Choir of twenty-five voices under Professor D. P. Hughes.
Scriptures, Old and New.
Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
Prayer ......
Rev. C. W. Wendte.
Trio and chorus from *Christus* ... *Mendelssohn*
Messrs. Dowdell, Hughes and Webb and Chorus Choir.
Christmas hymn, No. 3, "O Let Your Mingling Voices Rise" ......
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Selection ......
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Anthem "The Nativity" ...... *Shelley*
The Chorus Choir.
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Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
The collection, for the Oakland Benevolent society.
Selection, German Songs and Sounds ......
The Acme Club orchestra.
Closing hymn, "Christmas Night" ......
Benediction.

**First Baptist Church**

MORNING SERVICE, 10:30 O'CLOCK, DECEMBER 23d.

Organ prelude—Offertory in C Minor ...... *Alex Guilmant, Op. 20*
Doxology and Invocation.
Hymn 108, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing!" ...... *Mendelssohn*
Responsive Reading.
Anthem, "Sing and Rejoice" ...... *Barnby*
Choir.
Reading of Scripture.
Anthem, "Nazareth" ...... *Gounod*
C. L. Trow and Choir.
Response and Notices.
Offertory, "The Holy City" ...... *Stephen Adams*
Annie Pollitt.
Hymn 112, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed," ...... *Webb*
Sermon—Rev. C. H. Hobart.
Hymn 104, "As With Gladness" ...... *Kocher*
Benediction.
Organ postlude, "Grand Triumphal Chorus" ...... *Alex Guilmant, Op. 47*

The Christmas Sunday evening service will be held December 30th, 7 o'clock, at which the following will be rendered:

Organ prelude, "O, Thou That Tellest" ...... *Handel*
Anthem, "Peace on Earth" ...... *Lewis*
Choir.
Chorus, "Hallelujah!" ...... *Handel*
Choir.
Offertory, "I Will Extol Thee" ...... *Haydn*
W. J. Oakes and C. L. Trow.
Organ postlude, "March Festivita," in A Flat ...... *Mason*
Organist and Director, James Pollitt.

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Tenors—W. J. Oakes, D. McDonald, S. Masters, H. Waters and I. L. Gilbert.

Bass—C. G. Reed, C. L. Trow, A. P. Parker, W. Brown, W. Mason, C. F. Baker, E. C. Brown and W. Alexander.

## SUNDAY SERMONS.

### Texts Announced at the Various Churches.

St. Andrew's Church, Episcopal, corner Ninth and Cypress streets, Rev. Marden D. Wilson, rector. Services for tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer at 11 A. M., with sermon by the rector. Subject, "Forgiveness of Sins." Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening prayer at 7:30, with sermon by Rev. J. Mynard, rector of St. John's Church. The music to be rendered by the Boys' Choir, at both morning and evening service, and will be especially good.

First Congregational Church—At 10:30 o'clock, Dr McLean will preach. Service and subject appropriate to Christmas. At 7:30 P. M., festival praise service. Dr. McLean will preside and give the address. Christmas Eve a strangers' social will be held in the church chapel and parlors under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. "The Christmas Carol" will be well read and there will be pleasing music. Complimentary cards of admission at the church office.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. I. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject: Make Straight the Way of the Lord." Service on Christmas Day at 10:45 A. M. and celebration of the Sunday school at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. All are invited.

Centennial Presbyterian Church, Twenty-fourth avenue, East Oakland—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., and at 7:30 P. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D.

First Unitarian Church—At 10:30 A. M. special service of music by chorus choir and Acme Club Orchestra, under Professor D. P. Hughes. Revs. C. W. Wendte and E. P. Wilkes will make brief addresses on "The Enduring Influence of Jesus." No evening service.

Theosophical Society—Question meeting, conducted by Mrs. Sarah A. Harris at Hamilton Hall (Theosophical free library rooms) at 7:45 P. M.

First Christian Church, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. Dr. M. J. Ferguson of San Francisco will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Dr. Ferguson is a graduate of Harvard College and an able and entertaining speaker. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6:15 P. M.

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Themes: Morning, "The Glory of Bethlehem;" evening, "Seeking and Sought." The evening service will be evangelistic with a brief after-meeting.

Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at Elmhurst, in Parsons' Hall, at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening. The Christmas holiday entertainment with an interesting programme Saturday evening.

West Oakland Baptist Mission, Campbell street—Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:15 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

Young Men's Christian Association, Twelfth and Clay streets—Every man should attend the men's meeting tomorrow at 4 P. M. The song service will be assisted by Miss Pearl Noble, cornetist, and J. F. Flemming of San Francisco, baritone soloist. The address will be by Rev. S. J. Carroll, D. D., on "Fits of Extravagance." All men invited.

The Salvation Army will conduct a meeting under their own auspices at Hamilton Hall tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the evening at Eighth street barracks Dr. John Thompson, agent for the American Bible Society, will speak and a batch of cadets farewell for their field appointments as lieutenants.

Market Street Congregational Church—The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon in the morning and in the evening the Sunday school will present a Christmas exercise. The Christmas festivities will occur on Thursday night.

Prospect Hill Presbyterian Church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Preaching by Rev. E. E. Clark. Subject of morning sermon, "What Christmas Means." In the evening there will be a missionary exercise entitled, "The Angels' Story." Sabbath school Christmas Festival Monday evening, December 24th, in Upper Fruit Vale Hall.

First Presbyterian Church—Dr. Coyle will preach at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Special Christmas music for both services.

Union Street Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D., a former pastor, and at 7:30 P. M., by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D.

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Rev. M. Willet, pastor. At the morning service, 11 A. M., there will be a Christmas sermon and appropriate Christmas music. At the evening service, orchestra assisting, the subject will be "The Great Choice."

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist Church—G. H. Jones, pastor. Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon. Evening service will be conducted by the Sunday school. "Christ, Our Star," is the title of the service. The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school are to be held on Tuesday night; the offering of provisions or money is to be for the Fred Finch Orphanage.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, Twelfth avenue and Fifteenth street, East Oakland—S. S. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 10:30 A. M.; subject, "They Are Dead Who Sought the Young Child's Life." Evening, 7:30 P. M., "What Has the Babe in the Manger to Do With Life?" Appropriate music at both services.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Bishop D. A. Goodsell, LL. D., and at 7:30 P. M., by the pastor. Subject of evening sermon, "The Christmas Miracle." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Seats free. All welcome. Bishop Goodsell has special supervision of Methodism west of the Rocky Mountains and from British Columbia to Mexico, and he is a great preacher and administrator.

Swedish Mission Church, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 o'clock. Lorin — In the German Methodist Episcopal Church will hold service at 3 and Sunday school at 2 P. M. Christmas Day there are special services at 5:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. The annual Sunday school festival will be held next Wednesday at 8 P. M.

Chester Street Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. At 10:30 A. M. Rev. Dr. Matthews, editor of the *California Christian Advocate*, will preach, followed by the Sunday school, to which Dr. Matthews will also speak. At 7:30 P. M. preaching by the pastor: "Question—How Can a God of Love Punish Eternally for Sins Committed in a Short Life?"

First Universalist Church — The Christian Endeavor Society, with the Sunday school, will give the Christmas song service, "The Royal Son," followed by an address, "The Star of Bethlehem." Members of the school are requested to be in their places promptly at 10:30 instead of 12 o'clock.

St. John's Church (Episcopal), Grove street, near Eighth, Floyd J. Mynard, rector, Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion at 7:45 A. M. Morning prayer and confirmation at 11 o'clock; evening prayer at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school Christmas carol service at 3 P. M. The Right Rev. W. F. Nichols, D. D., will administer the rite of confirmation at the 11 o'clock service. The Rev. Mardon D. Wilson will officiate in the evening.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, Rev. R. Ritchie, rector—Fourth Sunday in Advent; holy communion at 8 A. M.; Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M.; young men's Bible class at 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M.

First Free Baptist Church, Rev. John Palmer, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Saviour of Others Cannot Save Himself." Evening subject, "Well-doing." Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M.

St. Marcus' German Lutheran Church—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "Three Testimonies of Christ." At 7 P. M. a Christmas service for children.

First English Lutheran Church, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor—Subject for 10:30 A. M., "The Unending Reign of Christ; 7:30 P. M., "The Duty of Being a Church Member"; Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Rev. Alfred Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning at 10:30, he will preach a Christmas sermon. At 7:30 P. M. he will answer questions from the query box, to be interspersed with a choice programme of Christmas music by the choir. Query box at the First Methodist Episcopal Church—Among the questions that Dr. Kummer will answer on Sunday night are the following: Is paradise heaven? Is there a personal devil? What is Colonel Ingersoll's position on the temperance question? What should a pastor do when very young children are brought to the communion? How shall we keep awake in church? Where does the spirit dwell after death?

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SATURDAY........DECEMBER 22, 1894

WHEN is the law-making Oakland a sub-port of entry going to be put into effect?

THE establishment of a co-operative bakery is the latest scheme in Chicago to secure a cheaper and bigger loaf to accord with the price of flour.

CHICAGO has become such a seat of wickedness on the ground floor that an effort is to be made to get nearer heaven and purity through the agency of a forty story building, the erection of which is contemplated.

THE biennial report of the State Board of Examiners is just now being prepared for submission to the incoming Legislature. The board consists of the Governor, the Attorney General and Secretary of State. The bulk of the work of preparing the report falls, of course, on the efficient secretary of the board, George E. Platt. The report will be one of the most voluminous documents submitted to the Legislature. The duty of the Board of Examiners is of course to pass upon the various claims against the State Treasury and the report will contain a record of each one. Its preparation has been made with great care, but it will be difficult for anyone not conversant with the office of the secretary of the board to fully comprehend the magnitude of the work involved.

THE State of Illinois has a law providing for the close of saloons and prohibiting the sale of liquor on Sunday, but it has never been enforced in the city of Chicago. An effort was once made to enforce the statute during the time Joseph Medill of the Chicago *Tribune* was Mayor of the city, but it failed. There was an overwhelming revolt against its enforcement and no political party has since dared to touch it. Now the Christian Citizenship League has been organized for the strict enforcement of all laws, State and municipal, with the view of putting the Sunday saloon closing law into operation. What success it will have remains to be seen. The indications are that it will have uphill work, because neither of the regular political organizations will indorse the League's action.

THERE are not very many newspapers in the United States that have passed the semi-centennial mark in their lives. The Milwaukee *Sentinel* is among the few. On the 9th instant it celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its first appearance as a daily newspaper, by appearing in a twenty-eight page edition. The occasion marks not only an interesting event in the *Sentinel's* own career, but that paper avails itself of the opportunity to point out the wonderful development it has witnessed and recorded from day to day through the half century of its existence, not only in Milwaukee, but likewise in other parts of the country. Chicago, which is now reaching out for the second place in the list of cities in the Union in 1841, contained one daily newspaper, and a note of the fact is recorded in the first issue of the *Sentinel*. Detroit, which is now a city low down in the scale of population and importance, was then supporting three dailies. There were no railroads in those days in Wisconsin, and the first work on the first railroad was not done until five years later. Now that State is gridironed, and Milwaukee is an important railroad center with a population of 270,000. The *Sentinel* has grown in strength, wealth and influence through the half century of its life, and it faces the next half with stronger faith and brighter hopes than ever.

### Purifying the Puddle.

Milton S. Latham, who was Governor of California for two days, and United States Senator from California for three years, filling the unexpired term of David Broderick, is reported to be the father of the suggestive expression, "The filthy pool of politics." When the doings of the Tweed gang were exposed in New York and they sought refuge from justice in flight, the public gained an insight into the filthiness of the pool. But it has remained for the Lexow Senate Commission of New York to sound the real depths of the filthy political pool in the great metropolis.

The commission has, until recently, been uncovering the lower levels of the Police Department—that arm of the metropolitan government, which is supposed to have been most generally engaged in corrupt practices. Patrolmen, [illegible]dmen, sergeants and captains of [po]lice were brought to the front to [a]nswer charges reluctantly made against them by their victims on the witness stand. For a time a howl of virtuous indignation issued from the police ranks, accompanied by expostulations and threats. But this was of no avail, the evidence was convincing. Now, it is being revealed that the work of the Senate commission on the lower levels of the Metropolitan Police Department was for a more important purpose than the simple exposure of ward men and other underlings of the department. The investigation has taken an upward turn. The captains of the police have ceased howling against an alleged outrage and proclaiming their innocence, and are turning State's evidence. One captain bravely faced the music and confessed that he had risen to his post of trust and power, not through merit, but through the agency of a bribe of $15,000. He was promptly suspended by the Police Commissioners. The object was, of course, the intimidation of other officers who might have a tale to unfold. But it has been unavailing. Now comes another captain of police and makes a clean breast of it. This police captain was a confectioner in 1874 and entered the Metropolitan Police service as a patrolman, but, according to his confession on the stand, his promotion was due to the influence of ward politics. This was the beginning of his work as a coadjutor to the corrupt metropolitan ring:

Now, captain, about the time you were in command of the steamboat squad you learned, of course, that the men on the docks had to give up half of their salaries?

Yes. Wardman Vail told me of it. I told him I did not want to keep it up, and he told me that I was a — fool; that the men had just as soon give it up as not and I might as well get it.

And you finally agreed to this? Yes.

And Vail was your collector, I believe?

Yes, for about two months, and then Gannon was appointed. I would like now to brand Vail as a liar for saying on this stand that I wanted all the money from the men.

How much did Vail collect for you each month. About $90.

And did you ever have to give up any of this money to any other police officials? No, I did not.

The witness then went on to explain his operations in other districts assigned to his charge. The influences at work behind the scenes were thus brought to the surface:

Were there any houses that received protection without paying for it?

Yes.

What were they?

I once received a letter from Commissioner Sheehan introducing a man named Proctor and telling me I could do what Proctor asked. Proctor then told me he was a partner of Maynard, a storekeeper on Broadway, and that Maynard wanted to open a gambling house. I told him I would not let him do so until I saw Superintendent Byrnes. I then saw the Superintendent and told him the whole story and he told me not to allow the house to open.

The following questions and answers brought out another feature in the case:

Do you know Georgiana Hastings? I know of her.

How was it she paid no protection money? She was exempt for some reason.

Why was she exempt? Because I got a hint that if I did not keep my hands off her I would get my fingers burned.

And you did so? Yes.

Regarding this part of the police captain's testimony the Commission's attorney, Mr. Goff, said that the true reason Georgiana Hastings "had never been molested was because several judges of New York were in the habit of visiting her house and had thrown the mantle of their protection around her." Thus the fountain head of justice in the metropolis seems to have been contaminated by the corrupting influences of the filthy pool of politics. The witness was then required to reveal his relations with the Police Commissioners:

Now, Captain, did you ever give one cent to any police official besides those you have named here? Yes. I paid Commissioner Martin $100 last year, and another $100 to Commissioner Sheehan previously. It was a political contribution, however, and given voluntarily, because they were the leaders of the district I was in. It was only admitted to me that it was advisable for me to do so. I gave the money direct to them.

On the subject of the cost of positions in the department, the witness said a roundsman's place cost $300; a police sergeant's $1600. It was admitted by Captain Creedon, a previous witness, that he had paid $15,000 for a captaincy.

The Lexow Commission has now reached the Police Commissioners, and its work is scarcely fairly begun. Who knows what revelations are yet in store?

### Under the Mistletoe.

The girl from Philadelphia
  In some things is not slow.
She says: "Good gracious me! Was I
  Beneath that mistletoe?"

The St. Louis girl a startled look
  At once begins to wear,
As she exclaims: "How very strange!
  I didn't know 'twas there."

The San Francisco maid demure
  Is calm as calm can be,
As, with a blissful smile, she says:
  "You've caught right on, I see."

The Boston girl removes her specs,
  Her classic face sedate,
And, as she looks around, she says:
  "I'll take a chair and wait."

The Gotham maiden lifts herself
  Upon her tiny toe,
Remarking, as she takes one more,
  "It's English, don't you know?"

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### A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, December 23d.

BREAKFAST.

Fruit.
Germea. Sugar and Cream.
Broiled Steak.
French Fried Potatoes.
Sally Lunns Coffee.

DINNER.

Soup a la Reine.
Roast Duck Currant Jelly.
Sweet Potatoes. Peas.
Boiled Rice.
Mayonnaise of Celery.
Wafers. Cheese.

SUPPER.

Broiled Oysters. Brown Sauce.
Brown Bread and Butter.
Shaddocks. Coffee.

### BITS OF GOSSIP.

The Sultan of Turkey is one of the most hard-worked men in the Ottoman dominions. Rising at 6 o'clock every morning, he devotes his days in the seclusion of the Yildiz Palace and gardens to personal attention to all the affairs of State laid before him by his ministers. He is of slight figure. A pale brown overcoat conceals any decorations he might be wearing, so that the attention of those who see him on the one day in seven, when he presents himself to the view of the people, is not diverted from his pale, wan and careworn face, half covered by a thin brown beard tinged with gray, and surmounted by a plain red fez. The Sultan has been the means of establishing 50,000 schools throughout his Empire, not only for boys, but for girls also, which is a striking departure from the traditional usage of his race.

Wilford Woodruff, president of the Mormon Church, has for years cultivated a farm of forty acres with no other labor than that of his own hands and that of his family. His wife and daughters raise chickens, preserve fruit and run a dairy, while his sons raise hogs and calves and do general farm work. Except tea, coffee, sugar and groceries, the farm has produced nearly everything the family has needed to live on.

Governor-elect Coffin of Connecticut and Lieutenant Governor Cady, his Democratic opponent, are both interested in the blue-ribbon temperance movement.

Prince Waldemar of Denmark has threatened to divorce his wife because she persists in smoking cigarettes and insists upon her right to be an amateur fire lassie and runs with the machine when there is a "three-six" call.

Nathan White of Rutherford county, N. C., who was born June 26, 1794, still works on his farm. He plowed every day last spring, split rails and mended his own fences. Although the old gentleman has never been able to read, he has accumulated a modest fortune.

Representative Holman of Indiana is to write a book giving his reminiscences of the thirty years he has been in Congress. "I cannot hope," he said yesterday, "to write such a book as Mr. Blaine wrote, for instance, but I think I can make an interesting contribution to history." It is understood that Mr. Holman has not yet commenced the volume, but will wait until he enters upon the leisure of private life.—*Washington Post.*

### RANDOM NOTES.

About 4,380,000 postage stamps of the two-cent denomination are used in the United States yearly.

Hartford, Conn., modestly claims to have had closer connection with American literature than any other city of its size in the country. It bases its claim on the fact that it has been the home of Mrs. Sigourney, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Isabella Beecher Hooker, Mark Twain, J. Hammond Trumbull, Richard Burton, William Gillette, the playwright, Noah Webster, the lexicographer, and a host of others of greater or less fame.—*New York World.*

Ground has been broken at Lake Geneva, Wis., for the erection of the Yerkes telescope. The altitude of the site is 1200 feet above the sea and 630 feet above Lake Michigan.

Official steps have just been taken, without opposition, to abolish the only remaining toll road in Connecticut, the Derby turnpike. The company was chartered about one hundred years ago.

A young woman of Butte, Mon., applied to a court there the other day for permission to kill her lover who had jilted her. She thought she had a right so to do, but wanted to go about it legally and decorously. The court was inclined to agree with her in the premises, but was obliged to dismiss her application.

Trinity parish, New York, is served by a small army of organists, singers, acolytes, and other semi-ecclesiastical adjuncts to worship. There are twelve organists and assistants, and more than 300 persons are employed in the choir or as acolytes, severs, and crucifers. Besides the parish employs nearly forty teachers in its daily schools, a score of sextons, and nearly a dozen doctors.

The Police Commissioners yesterday notified the proprietors of the hotels that they must refrain from providing their guests with facilities for card playing, in the way of cards, chips or rooms, to be used for this purpose, as it is said they have been in the habit of doing. Hereafter, if gentlemen indulge in the pastime of gaming at the hotels, they must furnish their own implements and carefully guard the nature of their occupation from the knowledge of the landlord.—*Boston Transcript.*

What shall we do in the long winter evenings? Fry doughnuts made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Mushrooms au gratin — Salt them lightly, roll them in arrowroot and fry to a pale brown in butter. Put them in a deep dish, cover with a rich bechamel sauce flavored with chopped parsley and Maderia wine; cover with rolled, browned bread crumbs; stick little bits of butter among the bread crumbs; bake to a light brown and serve boiling hot.

Dealers say the pointed shoes have reached the limit and will now decline.

Braised turkey—This should be prepared and stuffed in the usual manner, with veal forcemeat or chestnuts stewed in gravy till tender. After it has been neatly and firmly trussed, put in a stewpan with a few ounces of fresh butter, and turn it about over a brisk fire until nicely browned all over; then place it in another pan upon a bed of mixed herbs and vegetables that have been cut in small pieces; pour in enough stock to cover the vegetables—barely cover them, lay a sheet of buttered paper closely over the turkey, then put on the lid and cook very gently over a moderate fire, basting frequently with the liquid in the pan until the cooking is satisfactorily completed. By the time the turkey is thoroughly done it will have absorbed the flavor of the stock and the various vegetables and consequently the flesh will be tender, rich and juicy. But in order to accomplish this most desirable result the cooking must be slow and great care must be taken to see that the contents of the pan never reach the boiling point, but only simmer all the time. It is by paying strict attention to this and by browning the bird quickly in the first place, and so retaining all the natural juices, that braising can be rendered vastly superior to broiling or roasting. Serve very hot, press all the vegetables used in the pan through a sieve and lay them in the dish. No one will know exactly what this puree is, but everyone will enjoy it.

Baked Ham—Those who are accustomed to boil hams should try one baked for a change. None of the juice is lost in the water, and the flesh is as tender as if it were braised; the flavor full and mellow. Soak the ham in cold water for at least twelve hours; wash it well, dry it and cut off all the rusty parts underneath, trimming neatly. Wrap the ham an inch thick in a dough made of flour and water; put the ham thus covered in a baking dish and bake it in a hot oven for quite four hours. When done, let it cool a little; then crack off the crust, remove the skin of the ham with it, and dust over with grated bread.

An equivalent to the mincemeat of winter time that makes it impossible to prepare a "batch" in readiness for unexpected meals, as portable as the Christmas pie, and as universally satisfactory, is the following, which will prove a valuable aid when luncheon baskets are an anxiety: Two pounds large ripe apples, pared and chopped; one pound soda biscuits, crushed and rolled; one pound stoned raisins, finely chopped; one pound fresh beef suet, ditto; one pound Demerara sugar; one-quarter pound candied peel, shred finely; one teaspoonful grated nutmeg; one teaspoonful ground cinnamon; one teaspoonful ground ginger; one ditto of salt; a cupful of cider and one-quarter pint of brandy. Mix thoroughly together all the ingredients, place the mince in a stone jar and cover tightly; keep it untouched for a week, then use for pies. It will keep good for a long time.

To make cold cream take oil of almonds two ounces, spermaceti half an ounce, white wax a drachm. Melt together, and while cooling add two ounces of rose-water, stirring until cold. Cold cream may also be made by this formula: Take four ounces of unsalted butter, four ounces of white wax, an ounce of vaseline, melt together and perfume with oil of bergamot. The more cold creams are stirred and beaten while cooling the whiter they become.

The German Empress thinks that the root of the servant problem lies in the fact that mistresses are too little concerned about their comforts. They ought, she says, to do everything they can to make the leisure hours of their servants as agreeable as possible.

Evening head-dresses are really hardly more than a lot of rosettes of proportions that quite cover their foundation. In general the shape is a triangle or crescent with a big rosette at each of the side corners, another in front and then a fluff of lace, an aigrette or an ornament rises perkily from the whole.

Most of the principal stones now worn have their significance. Sapphires, as "heavenly thoughts;" diamonds, as "repentance," "innocence," "light," "purity," "life and joy." Emeralds denote success in love, faith, victory and immortality. There is a great diversity of opinion as to the meaning of the opal; while some consider it portends good fortune and hope, others deem it unlucky. The turquoise denotes success and numerous friends; the pearl, purity, innocence, humility and tears; while the amethyst signifies sobriety and temperance. Many of the more precious stones were considered by the ancients to have a particular signification and every month was supposed to be under the influence of one of them. The following meanings are most generally accepted: January, garnet, constancy, and fidelity in every engagement; February, amethyst, sincerity; March, bloodstone, courage, wisdom and firmness in affection; April, sapphire and diamond, repentance and innocence; May, emerald, discovers false friends and insures true love; June, agate, insures long life, health and prosperity; July, ruby and cornelian, discovers poison and content; August, sardonyx, conjugal felicity; September, chrysolite, against madness; October, opal, hope; November, topaz, fidelity and friendship, prevents bad dreams; December, turquoise, prosperity in love.

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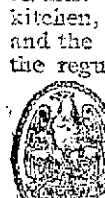

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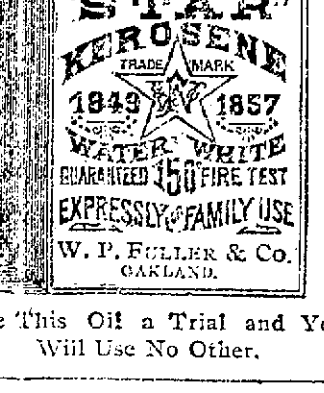


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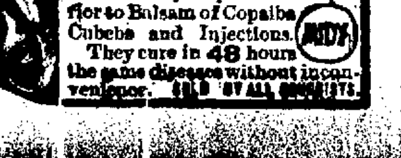

# TRUE TRAGEDY.

## Excellent Repertoire of Plays for Keene.

## A Holiday Entertainment at the People's.

### First-Class Vaudeville Is Staged at the Oriental.

Thomas W. Keene, the great American tragedian will open his brief engagement at the Macdonough, consisting of three nights and Christmas matinee, next Monday. He has selected from his repertoire four of his best plays, viz: Monday, *Othello*; Christmas matinee, *Merchant of Venice*; Tuesday evening, *Richard III*, and for his farewell performance on Wednesday, *Hamlet*.

Aside from the drawing qualities of the star, the selection of plays alone will insure crowded houses. Oakland play-goers are critical as a rule, and for that reason they are ever ready to do homage to genuine genius and dramatic merit.

Mr. Keene has always been looked upon as an eminent tragedian, whose versatility and power are wonderful. His development into strength and intensity. He has become an actor of detail, which, coupled with his robust strength, his thorough conception of the different roles, his excellent self-training and natural ability, stamps him as one of the greatest delineators of Shakesperian characters. Mr. Keene is an actor of the robust school, but his work is not characterized by that impetuosity which detracts from the portrayal of many stars—he does not overdo the part. While his stormy passages are clothed with force and intensity that at once thrill the auditor, there is no ranting. His own personality is lost in the part he essays, and it is not difficult to see that his whole heart is in his work.

*Thomas Keene as "Shylock" in the "Merchant of Venice."*

Each play will have a complete scenic production. Keene is supported by an efficient company. The sale of seats is unusually large, which indicates a good and prosperous engagement. This attraction is given at popular prices.

**The People's.**

Charles Thornton will close a successful two weeks' engagement at the People's on Sunday evening. During the week *Tried for Treason*, a romantic drama of the War of the Revolution, has been received with favor, and, notwithstanding inclement weather, has attracted good audiences to the popular little playhouse.

The holiday week, commencing next Monday night, will be marked by the production in an unsurpassed manner of the beautiful spectacular burlesque *Aladdin, or the Wonderful Lamp*. The charming fairy story will be depicted in song and dialogue, with a background of most magnificent scenic effects rivaling anything ever before attempted in this theater.

Manager Wilkins has made extraordinary preparations for the staging of the spectacle. For several weeks past a large force of scene painters and stage mechanics have been employed day and night upon the work. The result of these labors will be shown Monday night when the curtain will rise upon pictures of Oriental beauty, enhanced to the highest degree by the skillful handiwork of scenic artists and mechanics. No expense has been spared to give to the production the most gorgeous treatment which can be devised.

The stage settings will be resplendent with color and rich effects, and the host of characters will be costumed in a manner only equaled by the scenic surroundings. In every particular of the staging of the burlesque money and time have been freely expended. Besides the special attention which has been given the magnificent dressing of the piece, both as to scenery and costumes, no efforts have been spared to secure the best of talent to fill the cast. In this connection the production will be on a par with anything ever shown in Oakland. The cast of characters will include many clever people who have been secured from the East, besides others whose work is favorably known to Oakland theater goers. The leading roles will be assumed by Miss Nellie Page and Miss Laura White, two charming and talented actresses, who will do full justice to their parts. Oliver C. Patton, a well-known comedian of high rank, Louis Wood, Charles Howard, N. Delmatta, Maurice Stewart, Carl Hubert, Charles Stanley, John Leonard, Miss Belle Nora, Lizzie Francis, Eleanor Rean, Fannie Parker, Dollie Easton and others are also in the bill.

The production will be under the direction of the veteran stage manager, R. C. White, whose qualifications insure a perfect and smooth performance from the beginning.

Beautiful music, hosts of pretty girls in dances, marches and stage pictures; many new specialties, including daring acrobatic feats, all the latest songs; all these will go to complete one of the finest attractions ever presented in Oakland.

In the line of specialties, the attractions will include John Leonard, the champion clog dancer of the world; the Leonis, aerialists, in their wonderful and daring feats on the flying rings; Charles Stanley, the phenomenal wire walker; John Rand, the world-famed clown, whose original antics have convulsed thousands with laughter; Fannie Parker, in her beautiful Spanish dances, and many others. Ample amusement both for children and adults will be furnished.

The advance sale has already commenced, and promises to demand that early application be made for good seats. Special holiday week matinees will be given on Christmas Day and Saturday afternoons.

**The Oriental.**

In Turkey it was not uncommon once to put a woman in a sack. After that she was prepared for the Coroner. Oristo, at the Oriental Theater, puts a woman in a sack and in five seconds takes her place, while she enters from the wings. This is a mystery that startles as does Al Williams painting a mill and, when finished the wheel beginning to revolve. Burke Brothers and Mike, their learned donkey, have made a decided hit, as has Rose Southern and Pepita, the beautiful danseuse. The programme as a whole is excellent.

**The Baldwin.**

At the Baldwin Theater all next week the great extravaganza *Aladdin Jr.*, will be produced. During the past week it has attracted the greatest attention, crowded houses witnessing the performance nightly. Everybody has pronounced it a spectacle never excelled on the stage in this section of the country.

**The California.**

At the California Theater, next week, Miss Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman, will appear in the great piece *The Passport*. The play will be cast in an excellent manner.

**The Orpheum.**

The management of the Orpheum is at a loss to know what to do with the crowds of people it will attract during the holidays. In fact, it is troubled in the same way almost every week, but it expects to be favored from now until the new year with a patronage which will test the capacity of the place. The bill for the next week will be the greatest ever put on the boards at this celebrated place of amusement, and is headed by the popular Lydia Yeamans-Titus, the charming singer who brought "Mollie Newell" to the coast.

**The Alcazar.**

At the Alcazar Theater, next week, Haverly's Minstrels will present their strongest bill. The closing feature will be a burlesque entitled *A-lad-in or the Wonderful Lamp*, which is a travesty upon the extravaganza now at the Baldwin.

**Stockwell's.**

During holiday week the stage at Stockwell's will be occupied with *The Waifs of New York*. This, in effect, is the story of little Red Riding Hood in real life and will be presented with gorgeous romantic pictures and great sensational effects. The comedy role will be assumed by Leonard Grover Jr.

**The Tivoli.**

At the popular place of amusement, next week, the great operatic spectacle *Lalla Rookh*, with its gorgeous Oriental coloring, costumes and imagery, first outlined in glowing verses by Tom Moore, "the poet of all circles," will be produced. It will be a beautiful piece for the holidays.

**Morosco's.**

At Morosco's Grand Opera House, next week, the stage will be occupied by that grand melodrama, *The Silver King*. This is one of the finest pieces of its kind ever written and will be produced with a fine cast.

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# THE LEMON CASE.

## The Husband of the Trumpet Medium Gives Testimony.

George C. Smith, the husband of the "trumpet medium," Mary Smith, was the last witness called in the Lemon will contest yesterday afternoon. He testified that Mrs. Lemon was of sound mind. Mr. Smith declared that Mrs. Lemon had never informed him that she had received spirit messages from Dr. Valentine Mott. "She told me," said the witness, "that she loved Dr. Mott better than any of her husbands. She never said, however, that he had a mansion prepared for her in the other world."

The trial was continued until next Wednesday, when Mrs. Smith will be called as a witness.

**A Large Fortune Quickly Lost.**

Among reverses of fortune perhaps the strangest is that of the Duchess Santonna, who has just died in Madrid in the greatest poverty. Eight years ago she possessed a fortune of $4,000,000. A number of lawsuits were commenced against her by her relatives, absorbing a large part of this. Another large amount went in charity, and the remainder went trying to place the Bourbon family on the throne. A story is told of the Duchess which illustrates her kindness of heart. Hearing that a lady, a member of a very old Spanish family, was in great need, and wished to sell jewelry to the amount of $200,000, the Duchess de Santonna sent her check for that amount. When the jewelry reached her she returned it, saying she did not want it, and was glad to have been of some service.

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# A REVERIE.

## F. M. Campbell Recalls an Almost Forgotten Past.

## The High School Dedication of September, 1871.

### Prominent Men of That Day Now Nearly All at Rest.

OAKLAND, Thursday Evening, December 20, 1894.

*Editor Tribune*—SIR: Today, by the polite invitation of Superintendent McClymonds, I attended the dedication exercises of the new High School building, occupying a seat upon the platform with the speakers, School Directors and special guests of the day.

Finding myself tonight in a sort of reminiscent mood, induced by the events of the day, I propose to try and put into some kind of form the train of thoughts thus started, for you to publish if it shall be found fitting.

As I sat there today and listened to the interesting exercises, there was mingled with my enjoyment of the gladness, the congratulations, the pleasures of the occasion, an unwonted feeling of sadness. Quite irresistibly my thoughts wandered back over what, in retrospection, seemed but a very brief space of time to another occasion exactly similar in character to this one, held in a building on the same street and removed but a short distance from the one in which we were then assembled. I refer to the dedication exercises held on the 16th day of September, 1871, in the building at the corner of Twelfth and Market streets, from which the High school is soon to move into its new and commodious quarters.

In imagination I was again surrounded by the forms, once more heard the familiar voices and felt anew the inspiring influence of the enthusiasm of those who, either actively or by their presence in their official capacity, assisted in the exercises of that day, and who have since passed over the dark and silent river.

As I looked toward the presiding officer of today, in my mind's eye I saw standing behind his chair—an approving smile irradiating his sad but kindly face, his hand uplifted as with a benediction and a blessing—the tall, slender, stately form of the revered president of that other day, Rev. Laurentine Hamilton. Quiet and unostentatious with the modesty of a genuine scholarship, brave as a lion in defense of principle, yet tenderly sympathetic as a woman, his memory is green in hearts of all who knew him.

While listening to the words of wisdom and of eloquence as they fell in rich cadence and faultless utterance from the lips of the distinguished orator of today, there came unbidden—echoing back through my brain and through my heart—the thrilling tones, laden with very pearls of thought, of the orator of that other day—him of masterful speech and infinite jest, the brilliant scholar and profound jurist—John B. Felton. He, too, is gone; gone in the full tide of his powers, his usefulness and his renown, to take his place in the silent chambers of the dead.

With the final sweet notes of "The Last Rose of Summer," so charmingly rendered today still lingering in my ears, I again saw the fragile form of California's sweetest singer, our own loved Edward R. Sill, stand modestly forth upon the platform, his pale, thoughtful, classic face lighted as of old by those wondrous luminous eyes, while he held us, as on that other day, charmed and spellbound by the tender reading of his poem, "From the Schoolhouse window." Cut off in the morning of life, his gentle spirit still sheds its kind influence through his verses, all too few, which we still may read.

He, too, of graceful speech and ready learning, the active and efficient pioneer friend of the higher education in California, the honest lawyer, able statesman, loyal and good citizen, Edward Tompkins, has for me again today, as on that other day, charmed the ear and pleased the mind with words of wisdom, of wit and of timely import.

And still they came. A model and an exemplar of intelligent business methods, strictest personal integrity and conscientious devotion to duty all carried into public position and there exercised solely for the public good, again appeared to my mind the chairman of the Committee on Schoolhouses and Sites, in the person of the lamented George W. Armes, to give an account of his stewardship, to the minutest detail and the ultimate dollar of expenditure, as the one under whose careful, exacting and gratuitous inspection the building had been planned and erected.

Is it any wonder, then, that as I sat there today and thus mentally called the roll of those who actively participated in the dedication exercises of that other similar occasion, and, continuing it with the names of the School Directors who sat with me on that platform—Dr. R. E. Cole, William Bartling, A. W. Swett, E. W. Playter—and the silent responses came with unrelieved monotony—dead! dead! dead!—is it any wonder, I ask, that a tinge of sadness colored for me the pleasures of this occasion? Is it any wonder, if—

"When I remember all
The friends, so linked together,
I've seen around me fall
Like leaves in wintry weather,
I feel like one who treads, alone,
Some banquet hall, deserted,
Whose lights are fled, whose garlands, dead,
And all but he departed?"

Indeed, I doubt if on the platform or in the hall today, was one person beside Mr. McChesney and myself, who was on the crowded platform at the former dedication.

Is it unfitting—on the contrary is it not eminently fitting, that amid the cheer and festivities of this occasion, amid the congratulations of this important epoch in the educational life of Oakland, we should pause for a brief moment to recall thankfully the names, and drop a tear to the memory, of those who have gone before; whose intelligent thought and earnest efforts were so freely given to the great cause; and whose works, living after them, we are but taking up and carrying on?

"There's rosemary, that's for remembrance; and there is pansies, that's for thoughts."

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And now a word specially to the young people whom this shall reach.

I have said that, in retrospection, the time seems brief since the dedication of the old building—indeed, as I now write these words it seems to me but as yesterday—and yet it is twenty-three years, nearly a quarter of a century. To the young people who are now students in the school—not one of whom was alive in 1871—how different looks the space of time from now till 1917, twenty-three years hence, from what the same length of time looks to the students of that other day, as now from middle life they look back to the occasion of which I speak. How long the time *appears* to those; how short these *know* it to be.

And right here let me make my contribution to the lessons of this occasion—of this hour; let me drop a seed thought into the minds of these young people. It is concerning no new theme. I shall express it in the trite injunction—Redeem the time! Redeem the time!

Take my word for it, my dear young friends—for well, too well I know of what I now most earnestly say to you—that it is far more dreadful, in looking back towards the eastern horizon of life from where its sunset glow is already falling across one's path, to face the gibbering ghosts of wasted days, the grinning spectres of neglected opportunities, than to struggle with the hideous conjurations of a nightmare. Regrets are unavailing; remorse brings no relief.

"Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
The saddest are here—it might have been."

The celebrated scholar and divine, Dr. Henry Drummond, once delivered an address to a large body of students at Northfield, Mass., which attracted widespread attention, and has since been published in book form and read with interest by hundreds of thousands of people. The book is entitled, "The Greatest Thing in the World," which greatest thing he demonstrates to be love.

Let me here call your attention to the most valuable thing in the world. First, let us see what it is not. It surely is not gold, or silver, or precious stones; for these are found richly stored in the hills, the gulches and the river-beds, and can be gathered, accumulated and hoarded by man. It is not sunshine; that freely floods the earth. It is not water; that gushes from the hills, leaps abundantly from the depths below at the call of man, descends from the over-burdened cloud upon the just and unjust, and dances and leaps and sparkles and rushes in rivers to the sea. It is not air; that bountifully surrounds us on all sides, free to all and to spare. Even love itself is lavished upon us by father and mother, or brothers and sisters, by husband or wife or children, and by the Great All Father. It is none of these. It is *time*. So precious is time, that, unlike all other gifts to man, it is grudgingly "doled" out to him—doled out to him, second by second. But one second of time is ever our own. All else can be appropriated, accumulated, stored. But no potentate was ever so powerful, no man so rich, no syndicate or corporation so great, as to appropriate, control, or store time, to the extent of even two seconds. To all alike, to rich and poor, to young and old, it is dealt out equally, second by second. The option of profitable use or wasteful abuse of it, is left to each individual, with the knowledge that a second squandered and lost can never be regained. With startling rapidity is each individual patrimony of time diminishing—the final second will soon be exhausted. Appreciate its value, my dear young friends. Redeem the time! Redeem the time!

FRED M. CAMPBELL.

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# WHAT THEY DO.

## Interesting Statistics Regarding Oaklanders' Occupations.

A preliminary survey of the occupations of men in West Oakland, which term is locally understood to indicate the district west of Center street, shows the following results:

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| Employed by the railroad | 602 |
| Merchants, clerks, agents | 561 |
| Doctors, lawyers clergymen | 47 |
| Carpenters | 266 |
| Mechanics other than carpenters | 267 |
| Laborers | 270 |
| Saloon and barkeepers | 43 |
| Sailors | 69 |
| Miners | 15 |
| Millers | 16 |
| Farmers | 8 |
| Students | 8 |
| Total | 2262 |

The survey was made by young people of the Second Congregational Church, under the direction of the pastor, Frank E. Hinckley.

# FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

## A Fine Festival to Be Given in West Oakland.

A procession of three street cars will bring the children of the two West Oakland Sunday schools to the Christmas Festival of sacred music and art in the First Congregational Church next Sunday afternoon. The genial manager of the Central Street Railway, W. K. Rudolph, has ordered three cars to be in readiness for the little hosts of happy ones at the West Oakland Southern Pacific station, two blocks from the Second Congregational Church. They will go by way of Twelfth street. Parents who wish to have their children hear the grand Christmas music of the orchestra and see the magnificent views which reproduce the work of the master painters of the Saviour should let the children arrive at the Second Congregational Church before ten minutes of 3 o'clock.

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DEEDS.

SATURDAY, December 22d.

F. C. Van Duzer to Arda F. Van Duzer, lot on south line of Bancroft way, 200 feet west from Ellsworth street, west 50 by south 130, portion of lot 6, block 13, College Homestead, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney, to John Cooper, lot on west line of Fourth avenue, 225 feet south from Orchard avenue, south 100 by west 150, lots 9 and 10, block E, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

B. Kelsey to J. F. Knowles, 160 acres, being the northwest ¼ of section 28, township 2 south, range 3 east, Murray township, quitclaim; $10.

L. H. and Lizzie Sly to Virginia I. Willis, wife of O. J., lot on south line of Brockhurst street, 185:9 feet west from West, west 25 by south 100, portion of lot 22, College View tract, Oakland; $10.

F. J. and J. J. Bucher to John Breen, lot on north line of Thirtieth street, 32 feet west from Linden, north 75, west 50, north 25, east 82, south 100, west 32 to beginning, being lot 27 and portion of lots 28 and 29, block 630, Glascock tract, Oakland; $2057.

O. I. and M. G. Denison to Frances C. Baker, wife of G. G., lot on west line of Wayne avenue, at the common corner of lots 7 and 8, block A, Peralta Heights, thence west 78.57 feet, south 112.68, east to west line of Wayne avenue, north to beginning, being the east portion of lot 7, block A, Peralta Heights, East Oakland, quitclaim; $5.

Frederick Elliot to Julius Cohn and Aaron Jacobs, lot on south line of East Sixteenth street, 105 feet east from Thirteenth avenue, south 40 by west 105, being the north 40 feet of lots 21 to 24 and north 40 feet of the west 5 feet of lot 20, block 65, Clinton, subject to a mortgage for $1000, East Oakland; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Lars H. and Vilhelm Dittmann, lot on east line of Tenth street, 230.44 feet south from Channing way, south 35 by east 135, being lot 32 and north 10 feet of lot 31, block 153, corrected map Avery tract, Berkeley; $5.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to John W. McDermott, lot on north line of Russell street, 175.15 feet east from Grove, east 80, north 131.22, west 80, south 131.37 to beginning, being lots 25 and 26, block 20, Shattuck tract, map 5, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney, to Clara M. Adair, Abbie S. and Ida M. Brown, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 190 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 150, being lot 9, block G, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Same to William H. Adair, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 150 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 150, being lot 10, block G, same; $10.

M. J. and J. W. Laymance to V. P. Mitchels, lot on south line of Walter avenue, 80 feet east from Branch street, east 85 by south 132.50, being lots 25 and 26, block V, amended map Moss tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

George Reu to Charles and Louisa Schottman, 5.05 acres, beginning at the southeast corner of Antonio Cerdezo's 6.15 acre tract, thence northeast 7.05 chains, southeast .37 of a chain, southeast 5.12 chains, southeast 8.04 chains, northwest 7.55 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

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**Died at the Infirmary.**

Emma Benn, aged 44 years, native of Persia, and wife of W. P. Benn of Ashland, Or., died December 19th.

William Dugan, aged 50 years, a native of Ireland, died December 18th.

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EMMA MARIA FURTER,

Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

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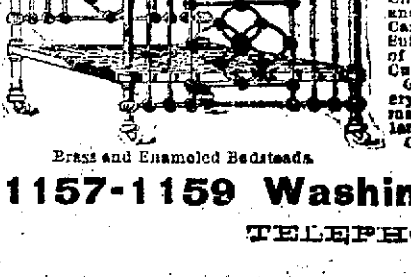

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# SAW HIM.

## Rae's Friends to the Front.

## Efforts to Sustain the Alibi.

### The Suspect Worked on the Reeves Ranch.

### George Campbell Tells a Tale for the Defense.

The examination of George Rae charged with the Judson robbery was resumed this morning before Judge Shaw, the first witness, George Campbell, of San Jose, appearing for the defendant.

Witness testified that he went to work for the San Jose Dairy Company, May 29, 1892. Knew George Reeves, slept in his barn, knew all the men who worked for Reeves and they also slept in that barn. Witness identified the defendant as a man who worked on Reeves' ranch in San Jose, the first part of May, 1892. The witness left the ranch on the 28th of May and up to that time, Rae was in the employ of Reeves. He had a drink with Rae in a saloon in San Jose on Saturday, June 11, 1892.

On cross-examination he said he has been working for his brother since the first of March of this year. He remained in the employ of the dairy company from May till October 1, 1892. He then went back to work for Rucker and remained there eleven days and then returned to the dairy company. Saw the defendant about 2 o'clock upon June 11, 1892. Witness said he believed the defendant had left the Rucker ranch about noon on the day referred to, but could not swear to the fact. Had two drinks of steam beer with the defendant. Remembered the date because it was the second Saturday after witness went to work for the dairy company.

He was asked how he remembered that it was the second Saturday of June, and replied that he could not tell, but was satisfied that it was a Saturday any way. He was asked if there was any circumstance which enabled him to fix the hour and day of meeting Rae, and replied that there was not.

He said he could not remember all that kind of "monkey business" suggested by the questions of the Assistant District Attorney. He said he had looked on a card showing the date he had gone to work for the dairy company. The card was found in an old coat. He looked over the card last night, but destroyed it.

The witness seemed to be determined to insist that it was the 11th of June, 1892, that he had met the defendant, but could give no satisfactory reasons for his recollection. His manner of telling his story was against him and the questions put to him by Mr. Church tended to annoy him a great deal.

He was asked whether or not he had told Attorney Aldrich this morning that he wanted to have nothing to do with the case and, after a great deal of hesitancy, admitted that he did not know whether or not he had spoken to the attorney in question on the subject. Mr. Aldrich objected to this question, but the answer was allowed notwithstanding.

After a long and tedious cross-examination witness finally admitted that he had no independent recollection of the date in question being the 11th of June, 1892, but that he relied upon the fact that he had been told by Mr. Reeves that that was the day.

After the examination by the attorneys Judge Shaw elicited from the witness the fact that when he came here he was expected to prove an alibi.

The case then went over till Monday next.

**The Week's Failures**

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports twenty-seven failures in the Pacific coast States and Territories for the week ending today, as compared with nineteen for the previous week, and eighteen for the corresponding week of 1893. The failures for the past week are divided among the trades as follows: Six saloons, five grocers, two butchers, two general stores, one hay and grain, one hotel, one publisher, one dry goods, one blacksmith, one cigars and tobacco, one restaurant, one florist, one confectionery, one millinery, one plumber and one variety.

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**Russian Proverbs.**
*Philadelphia Record.*

A Czar, if he were a leper, would be regarded as clean.

Even before a blind Czar one must bow.

A tear in the Czar's eye costs the country many handkerchiefs.

The Czar's voice has an echo even where there are no mountains.

When the Czar snuffs, the people sneeze.

The Czar also dies when his hour has come.

The Czar's crown does not protect him from the headache.

Even the Czar's ox has but two horns.

The Czar's arm is long, but it does not reach to heaven.

The Czar's ukase is worthless unless God says amen.

Even the Czar's back would bleed if it received the knout.

It is in vain even for a Czarowitz who is blind to become Czar; he will not see a whit better.

When the Czar dies even the muzhik would not change with him.

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**Gold Bars on the Street.**

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transshipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1572 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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**"My Cake Is Dough."**

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**Gold, Silver & Nickel.**

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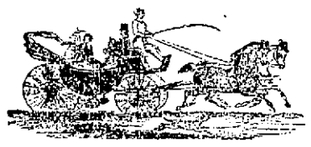

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Few, if any, of the residents of this city are aware of the fact that it is the best and cheapest lighted city, electrically, in the United States.

The cost of public lighting, considering the area to be covered, is less per lamp, per year, than any city of its size, while the rates for commercial lighting, both arc and incandescent, are lower than any city on the coast, and no greater than the majority of cities in the Eastern states.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company has been the main factor in thus giving to the public the benefit of cheap lighting. As an example of the relative cost between arc lighting for commercial purposes in Oakland and that in San Francisco, the following will suffice as an example:

Stores in Oakland are lighted with a 2000 candle power arc lamp, burning every night from one hour before sunset until 10 o'clock, and on Saturdays until 11 o'clock p. m., for $2, for each lamp per week. In San Francisco the price for a service extending only until 9 o'clock, and not at all on Sunday nights, is $3 per week. While the 12 o'clock lamps in Oakland are $2 75 each per week, those in San Francisco are $1 50.

The San Francisco papers have recently contained an article notifying the public that the rates for incandescent lamp service has again been reduced by the Edison Company 10 per cent. This latter reduction only brings their price down to what it has been for some time past in Oakland, and the Oakland company is contemplating a still further reduction.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company is now in a position to furnish incandescent lights to anyone for store or house purposes within the territory covered by First street on the south, Twentieth street on the north, Lake Merritt on the east and Center street on the west.

These incandescent lights can be furnished in any desired quantity, and will be lighted by the meter service, so that each consumer pays only for what he desires. The [illegible] to the house, is done by the company free of charge, and it is prepared to do inside wiring at the bare cost of material and labor.

The company have one of the best-equipped stations in the United States for arc or incandescent service, and in a short time will be prepared to furnish motors for power, and arc and incandescent service during the day. This service will place Oakland then on a par with any city.

In addition to the many stores on the principal streets now being lighted by incandescent lamps, the company is lighting the new H[illegible] building, the Unitarian Church, Hotel Metropole, Reliance Club building, Pacific Press, and the residence of Mr. Goodall on Jackson street.

The distance of the Pacific coast from the centers of manufacture of electrical machinery renders the cost here higher in proportion as a rule than in the Eastern States, while the absence of any coal beds producing good steam coal in the immediate vicinity of Oakland makes the cost of production of incandescent lights higher than in other places situated near a source of fuel supply, a truth bearing all of which Oakland, as has been stated before, is being served more cheaply than other cities more advantageously situated.

The recent large additions, involving an outlay of many thousands of dollars, to the plant of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company puts it in a position to render any kind of electric light service which may be demanded or desired by the city of Oakland.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[illegible]

FLOUR—Net cash: Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ℔ bbl; superfine, $2 60@2 85; Bakers' extra $3 10@3 15.

WHEAT—Sold Ships in[illegible] 87½c choice to fancy, [illegible] good to choice White Milling, 9[illegible].

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 8[illegible] No. 1 [illegible], [illegible] choice to fancy $1 [illegible] to surprise, [illegible] Milling, $1 [illegible]; Norway Black, [illegible]; Gray, 92[illegible]; Red, $[illegible].

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, $[illegible]; No. 1 Feed, [illegible] extra choice, [illegible] Brewing, [illegible].

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 17½; Large yellow, $1 [illegible]; White, $1 [illegible]@1 25.

RYE—[illegible] ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, [illegible] ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, [illegible] ton, $15 50@17; No. 1, $ [illegible] extra choice, $[illegible].

BUCKWHEAT—[illegible] ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$[illegible] ton.

HOPS—[illegible] ℔, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 [illegible]@2 30; Small White, $[illegible]; [illegible] and Tree Beans, $2 25@2 30; Butter, $1 [illegible]; Lima, $1 [illegible]; Red, $1 [illegible]; Pink, $1 [illegible]; Bayou, $1 75@1 [illegible]; Black-eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $[illegible].

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ℔ ctl, $2 25@2 [illegible]; native [illegible]; Canary, [illegible] for California; [illegible]; Hemp, [illegible]; Flax, [illegible]; [illegible]; Alfalfa, 7@[illegible] for California and [illegible] for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $[illegible]; Clover, $[illegible]@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 [illegible]; Alfalfa, $[illegible]@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $[illegible]; Tame Oat, $9@10 50; Barley, $6 50@[illegible]; Stock, $[illegible]; Compressed, $[illegible]@12.

STRAW—[illegible] bale.

### Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUITS—Bananas, ℔ bch, $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx, ordinary, [illegible]; fancy, [illegible]; Pears, box, common, [illegible]; Mexican Limes, $[illegible]; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@[illegible]; fancy, $[illegible]; [illegible]; Pineapples, dozen, $[illegible]; common, $[illegible]; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl, [illegible]; Persimmons, box, [illegible]; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 00@[illegible]; seedlings, $1 [illegible]; Florida Oranges, $[illegible]; [illegible] Oranges, $[illegible]@2 50; Lady Apples, [illegible].

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, [illegible]; Garlic, ℔, [illegible]; Cabbage, ctl, [illegible]; Cauliflower, doz, [illegible]; Parsnips, sk, [illegible]; Turnips, [illegible]; Carrots, [illegible]; Tomatoes, [illegible]; Celery, doz, [illegible]; Green Peppers, bx, [illegible]; Los Angeles Green Peas, ℔, [illegible]; String Beans, [illegible]; Mushrooms, [illegible]; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, [illegible]; River Reds, [illegible]; Burbanks, River, [illegible]; Oregon, [illegible]; Salinas, [illegible]; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, [illegible]; New Potatoes, ℔, [illegible].

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 40@60c ℔ ctl.

### Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ℔ ℔, sun dried, 4½ @[illegible]; evaporated, [illegible]; Apricots, bleached, [illegible]; Moorpark, [illegible]; sun dried, [illegible]@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, [illegible]; peeled boxes, [illegible]; sun dried, [illegible]; Plums pitted, [illegible]; do, unpitted, [illegible]; French Prunes sks, ℔ [illegible] 50 to [illegible]; 60 to 70, [illegible]; 70 to 80, [illegible]; 80 to 90, [illegible]; 90 to 100, [illegible]; boxes, [illegible]; ungraded, [illegible]; Pears, sliced, [illegible]; quartered, [illegible]; Figs, Smyrna, ℔ ℔, [illegible]; California boxes, [illegible]; sks, [illegible] ℔ ℔.

### Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ℔ ℔, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 19@20c; choice, 16@17c; fair to good, [illegible]; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 13@19c; creamery in tubs, [illegible].

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 32@[illegible]; store, [illegible]; Eastern, 24@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ℔ ℔, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, [illegible]; New York Cream, 10@11c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $3 50@4 00; young, $4 00@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4; broilers, large, $3 50@4; small, $3@3 50; Hens, doz, $[illegible]@4; Ducks, old, $4 50@5 50; young, $4 50@5 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, ℔, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 9@11c; Geese, pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ℔ doz; Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1; Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $3@[illegible]; Sprig, $1 50@1 75; Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50; White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25; Rabbits $1 25@1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $4.

### San Francisco Meat Market.

No particular change of any description. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, [illegible]; second quality, 4@[illegible]; third do, [illegible] ℔ ℔.

VEAL—Large, [illegible]; small, 7c ℔ ℔.

MUTTON—Wethers, [illegible]@5c; Ewes, 4@[illegible] ℔ ℔.

LAMB—[illegible]@6c ℔ ℔.

PORK—Live hogs, [illegible]@[illegible]c for heavy and medium grain-fed, and [illegible] ℔ ℔ for small fat; dressed do, [illegible] ℔ ℔.

## RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

### Produce and Poultry.

| | | | |
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| Eggs, California, ℔ doz | $ 35 | @ | 40 |
| Butter, choice, ℔ roll | 50 | @ | 60 |
| Turkeys, ℔ ℔ | 12 | @ | 14 |
| Chickens, Broilers, apiece | 35 | @ | 50 |
| Chickens, hens, apiece | 55 | @ | 70 |
| Chickens, Roosters, apiece | 50 | @ | 75 |
| Geese, apiece | 75 | @ | 1 00 |

### Vegetables and Fruits

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| Potatoes ℔ ℔ | [illegible] | @ | 1 |
| Summer Squash, ℔ ℔ | 3 | @ | 4 |
| String Beans, ℔ ℔ | 6 | @ | 7 |
| Tomatoes, ℔ ℔ | 6 | @ | 7 |
| Strawberries, ℔ box | 50 | @ | 55 |
| Raspberries | 50 | @ | 40 |
| Green Apples, ℔ bask | 10 | @ | 75 |
| Grapes, ℔ box | 75 | @ | 1 00 |

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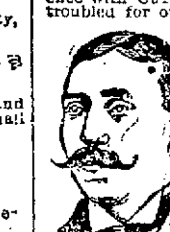

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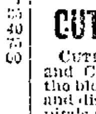

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| " LOS ANGELES, | 4:00 " | Friday | |
| Arrive EL PASO, | 5:30 " | Saturday | |
| " NEW ORLEANS, | 7:40 P. M. | Sunday | |
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| LEAVE. | FROM SEPT. 17, 1894. | ARRIVE. |
|---|---|---|
| [illegible] A | Atlantic Express for Ogden and East | 6:10 A |
| 7:30 A | Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis | 6:15 P |
| 7:58 A | Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa | 5:50 P |
| 9:00 A | Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff | 3:45 P |
| 9:30 A | New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite) Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East | 5:10 P |
| 9:30 A | Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East | 10:10 A |
| 9:30 A | Martinez and Stockton | 10:10 A |
| *9:30 A | Peters and Milton | *6:52 P |
| 12:55 P | Niles, San Jose and Livermore | 8:15 A |
| 4:28 P | Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa | 8:50 A |
| 4:32 P | Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento | 10:20 A |
| 4:58 P | Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno | 6:52 P |
| 5:33 P | Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles | 10:10 A |
| 6:23 P | Haywards, Niles and San Jose | 7:15 A |
| 6:30 P | European Mail for Ogden and East | 9:20 A |
| §7:30 P | Vallejo | §7:20 P |
| 7:30 P | Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East | 10:20 A |

## NARROW GAUGE, 14th & FRANKLIN STS.

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| 8:15 A. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz †Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations | 5:44 P. |
| *2:15 P. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations | *11:11 A |
| 4:15 P. | Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos | 9:44 A. |
| §11:45 P. | Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations. | §7:59 P. |

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From FOURTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS OAKLAND, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:15, *5:45, *6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15, 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:45, 11:45 p. m.

From HIGH STREET, ALAMEDA, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:32, *6:02, *6:32, 7:02, 7:32, 8:02, 8:32, 9:02, 9:32, 10:02, 10:32, 11:02, 11:32 a. m. 12:02, 12:32, 1:02, 1:32, 2:02, 2:32, 3:02, 3:32, 4:02, 4:32, 5:02, 5:32, 6:02, 6:32, 7:17, 8:17, 9:17, 10:17, 11:32 p. m.

## CREEK ROUTE FERRY.

FROM OAKLAND, FOOT OF BROADWAY—*6:00, *7:00, 8:00, *9:00, 10:00 and *11:00 a. m. 112:00, *12:30, 2:00, *3:00, 4:00 and *5:00 p. m.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, FOOT OF MARKET ST. (SLIP 8)—*7:00, *8:00, 9:00, *10:00 and 11:00 a. m. *12:30, 1:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00 and 6:00 p. m.

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D. D. STUBBS, Secretary

## DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

### DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

### DIVIDEND NOTICE,

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent. per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

### Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

## MEETING NOTICES.

### ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

### Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

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### Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,
County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT,
Deputy Clerk.

### Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $.00, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

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Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

### Application for Change of Name.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name.

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, state of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, State of California, over the age of twenty-one years.

That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.

That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.

That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin, and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin.

That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit: Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Herracher, sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser.

Dated December 20, 1894.

LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.

JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No. 317 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

### Notice to Creditors.

*Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-Law, Mills Building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

EBENEZER CARD,
Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

### Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California. No. 4130, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckholter, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckholter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckholter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 24th day of December A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 5, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK, FRICK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

### Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California—No. 4151, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

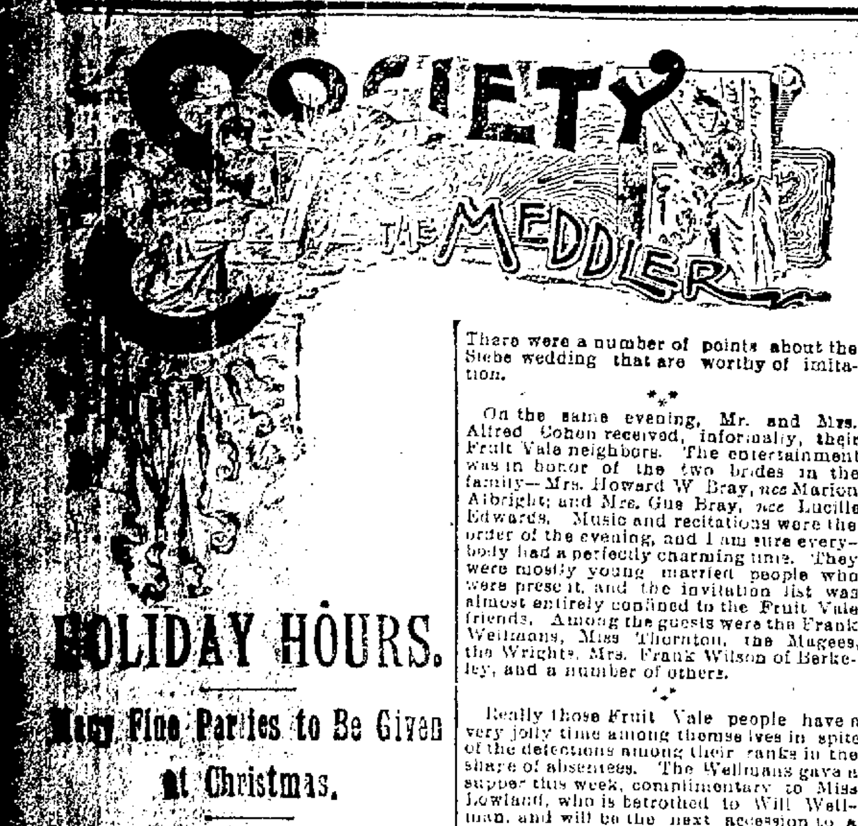
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Phidelia Watson, deceased, and for the issuance to Albert Basteinger of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

WM. & GEO. [illegible], Attorneys for Petitioner.




# HOLIDAY HOURS.

## Many Fine Parties to Be Given at Christmas.

### Social Events Are Signalizing the Season.

### Small Talk and Stories as Gathered by "The Meddler."

There has been a little more worth living this week. There have been some few things going on in spite of the turkey and cranberry odor that greets you, like a waiting ghost, at every corner. To begin, there was the Deux Temps last Saturday night. Karl Howard led and of course it was jolly, though they do say that in spite of that thinning spot on top of his head Karl does not lead as well as some of the younger boys. One of the belles of the evening was Miss Mabel Estee, who made such a reputation as a wit while campaigning with her distinguished father this fall. She is decidedly an interesting girl, very entertaining in conversation and much above the average society girls in intelligence. I was glad to see that the men were not afraid of her on this account. No one had more partners than she and her dark, vivacious face was finely contrasted by Ethel Kellogg's blonde one, full of repose. Miss Estee is very young, but the social advantages she has enjoyed have cultivated her powers of repartee until they are far keener than those of many old society women. Living at the Palace Hotel for years and meeting all the notable men in politics count when the girl is receptive. Ethel Kellogg and Amy Requa, as usual, were perfectly charming in new gowns.

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On Monday, Miss Estee was the guest-of-honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Judge Henshaw, with whom she stayed during her week in Oakland. It was one of the prettiest luncheons I was ever at, and so daintily served. Exactly twelve were at table, among them: Miss Estee, Mrs. F. W. Henshaw, Mrs. Will Henshaw, Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, Miss Requa, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Myra Prather, Miss Ethel Kellogg, Miss Ethel Moore and Miss Jessie Glascock.

The decorations were effectively chosen for a young girls' luncheon. The table was a[illegible] roses and maiden hair ferns, and pink artificial roses held the bonbons. After the luncheon, each guest wore her pink bonbon rose high in the hair. It was all very sweet and pretty. They talked as young girls love to talk, and the chaperones proved no dampeners of enjoyment.

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Aside from this one luncheon of note, East Oakland has been decidedly quiet, though I think they have had the advantage of us in the way of festivity, even so it is. On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright celebrated their wooden wedding anniversary with a very pretty party. Best of all, it was a dancing party—a thing the younger married set are rarely treated to. They too frequently settle down to whist and conversation, spiced with scandal. It is a great mistake. I always did think there was a connection between whist and gray hairs. But, at the Albright anniversary, all the furniture was removed and they danced, with interludes of music and a few jolly games. There were a number of pretty wooden gifts, ingeniously chosen, and a ballet supper. After supper, there was more dancing and more music. A brilliantly handsome girl, a cousin of Mrs. Albright, whose name, I am told, is Miss Mitchell, was present. She is not an Oakland girl, and her charming appearance attracted much favorable comment.

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On Wednesday night, in all that frightful downpour, Miss Siebe was married at the residence of her relative, Mr. Christ, on Fourteenth street. It was a charming wedding and very elaborate. That is the German idea, you know, and they really take much more pains over these festivities than we do. There was also a charming feature, not of the ordinary, at this wedding. One of the little Christ children was christened, and the affair partook doubly of the nature of a family festival. All the prominent Germans in town were there and all the leading members of the Deutscher Klub were present.

The tenor of the decorations was red. There was holly everywhere, red-shaded lamps and candles under red shades. It gave the whole house a festive air and Christmas cheer and made it one of the most cheerful wedding scenes I ever saw. I am afraid it was decidedly un-American. We run to pale, white flowers, and they to warmth and color. Give me the glowing bride to the pale, sickly one, and no bride could fail to be glowing and good to see under the splendor of this crimson light. And then the supper! It beggars description. It was a feast—bountiful, delicious and charmingly served. There were all sorts of delicious meats, salads, oysters, entrees, dainty and new desserts and an assortment of most excellent wine. They ate for at least two hours, and there were toasts innumerable and a variety of good cheer. Miss Hallahan catered and also decorated the long table in the attic, which was lit with candles under red canopies. Forty guests sat down to the feast, and at each plate there were red rose bon-bons.

There were a number of points about the Siebe wedding that are worthy of imitation.

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On the same evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cohen received, informally, their Fruit Vale neighbors. The entertainment was in honor of the two brides in the family—Mrs. Howard W. Bray, *nee* Marion Albright; and Mrs. Gus Bray, *nee* Lucille Edwards. Music and recitations were the order of the evening, and I am sure everybody had a perfectly charming time. They were mostly young married people who were present, and the invitation list was almost entirely confined to the Fruit Vale friends. Among the guests were the Frank Wellmans, Miss Thornton, the Magees, the Wrights, Mrs. Frank Wilson of Berkeley, and a number of others.

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Really those Fruit Vale people have a very jolly time among themselves in spite of the defections among their ranks in the shape of absentees. The Wellmans gave a supper this week, complimentary to Miss Lowland, who is betrothed to Will Wellman, and will be the next accession to a large and very united family. Wasn't it a pretty little idea? All the family and their wives, husbands and children were present.

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These are all the things of importance that our friends at the other side of the lake have been doing this week. Dr. and Mrs. H. Isaac Jones gave a very informal little dinner to some city people on Tuesday evening. It was really more of a tea than a dinner—just some light, simple refreshments and later an evening at the play—part of the company taking in Salvini.

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Bessie Gaskill's marriage to Vernon Waldron, was very quiet. There were only the most intimate friends for guests, a few gifts, some heart-felt congratulations, tears, smiles, farewells, and they were off. Bessie seems a little girl to most of us, but she is a very sweet little girl and the man she has chosen is in every way worthy of her. The Gaskills are one of the oldest families, while Mr. Waldron is comparatively a recent arrival among us, but has now many friends and everybody likes him. Besides he is a successful business man, charming of manner, and being very good looking. What more would you have?

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There is an amusing little story they are telling about Maud Russell's wedding. It took place at the Metropole, you know, and the bride was very fair in pure white. The ceremony took place in one of the hotel parlors and there were no ushers or maids. The minister stood near the door, and the room was filled with the assembled guests. But the bride and groom only took one step inside the door and remained standing not two feet from the entrance. Scarcely anyone could see them though everybody craned their necks and tried hard. After the benediction, they did not wait to be congratulated but fled precipitately to the upper regions, whence they emerged in a few moments garbed for travel. The bride did not even cut the cake, and neither came into the supper room. Instead they were driven rapidly away in a carriage. It seems the bride was inordinately afraid of rice and the ordinary congratulations. She wished to escape it all, and consequently hurried through everything. It was the most rapid transit marriage I have ever seen.

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And there was the theater. We have reveled in Salvini and romance this week. I think I never saw a prettier house than the Macdonough on the opening night. There were so many gorgeous theater waists and so many prettily dressed heads, almost all guiltless of hats. I was so enamored of the house that I almost forgot to look at the play, though I think Salvini is quite the handsomest fellow I ever saw. What should we say, Signor Salvini? But to return to the house. We really look very well when we try real hard, and wear our pretty clothes, that we are far too prone to leave lying in cedar chests. Monday night we were very gay—Tuesday scarcely less so. Miss Mamie Pope of Highland Park, a blonde in pale blue, looked particularly well Monday night. I thought she was as dainty as a bit of Dresden, in a big picture hat. Miss Estee, who who accompanied the Henshaws, also looked very well. I wish we had theater and box parties all the time. Don't you?

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And I have it for a fact that there are to be two cotillons given by the old Cotillon Club after New Year's. Isn't that jolly? We haven't settled yet on the leaders, but you may depend it will be good fun. Meanwhile everybody goes to cotillons in San Francisco, and the younger fry make merry at the Deux Temps. But won't it be like old times to give two cotillons? Get your new gowns ready, girls.

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But in spite of all the gayty, we cannot make merry when we think of poor, dear Mamie Griffin and Mrs. Murry and the double load of affliction they are bearing. Think with what a bitter thrill they will always recall these Christmas holidays. We are remembering them these days and weeping with them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Crouch of East Oakland have returned. Their daughter did not accompany them, but remained to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Tranter. Upon her return in January, she will bring an Eastern girl with her to see what a California winter is like.

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Next Saturday I will tell you a lot about some Christmas dinners that are booked for next week. I also have a special word or two to say to the men. I intended to say it this week, but my letter is rather long and it will keep. I'm afraid they will think I'm severe, but I am not going to go one word beyond the truth and they ought to be able to endure that.

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By the way, Mrs. Harry Melvin's mother, Mrs. Morse of Portland, and her sister, Miss Mary Morse, who have been Mrs. Melvin's guests for some time, are about to return home. Mrs. Melvin and her young son will accompany them, to remain an indefinite length of time.

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Tomorrow afternoon, of course, we shall all be at Mrs. Ralston's at that lively wreath and candy sale, as they say in the dime novels. I'll tell you about that anon. Society will be there in full force, even if it does pour, as I am sure it is going to.

I wish you all a very good Christmas, with many friends, much good cheer, gifts, affection and merriment. Nannie Clay is to have the loveliest dinner I know of, and she's promised to tell me all about it. I am buried in holly as I write, for the children are making wreaths all about me. There is a fragrant whiff of firs and pine in the air, and a great peace like the one that settled over the white world on that wonderful night almost 1900 years ago, when a golden-haired child brought a blessing to us all. We have been wicked and cruel to each other all the year. Let it be good will tonight and a heart full of good wishes to you all, from a good-tempered MEDDLER.

## WALDRON-GASKILL.

One of the prettiest and yet most informal weddings of the season took place in the Gaskill residence, 573 Fifteenth street last Tuesday evening. The bride was Miss Bessie Gaskill and the groom Vernon Waldron, both of this city.

The ceremony was performed in the back parlor of the residence, which, like the other apartments of the home, was beautifully decorated.

While there was a wealth of rich and beautiful flowers, the aroma of which pervaded every apartment, the principal decorative work was in the alcove, in which the ceremony took place, and comprised red holly, brakes and ferns, in admirable harmony with the season.

The alcove was embowered in holiday flowers and, under the radiance of a number of lights with red shades, presented both an unusual and beautiful appearance.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Ritchie of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. This gentleman took up a position within the alcove, and near him stood the groom and best man, N. A. Koser. The bridal party approached the alcove to the measures of the wedding chorus from *Lohengrin*, the bridesmaids appearing as follows: Miss Minnie Walker and Miss May Bates; Miss Lillian Strong and Miss Jessie Anderson; Miss Margaret Gaskill and Miss Edith Gaskill. Then came the ring bearer, Master Sidney Carleton, a cousin of the bride, in white sailor costume, a veritable midshipmite. Next came the bride in white brocaded silk, without orange blossoms or veil, bearing a bouquet of bride roses and attended by her mother, Mrs. B. A. Gaskill.

The groom joined the bride in the presence of the minister, and the ceremony was performed.

After the marriage, a reception took place and was continued throughout the evening.

The bride and groom were the recipients of a number of beautiful gifts. They have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown. On their return they will reside in this city.

## ALBRIGHT WOODEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright entertained about forty of their friends at their Seventh avenue home on Tuesday evening. It was a very jolly occasion, for the celebration was in honor of the fifth anniversary of their marriage—the homely, but merry, wooden wedding. The gifts, all of wood, but many of them very dainty and pretty, were displayed in an upper room. They ranged all the way from rolling pins to wooden boxes, silver mounted, and paintings on wood.

Mrs. Frank Albright, gowned in white silk, received her guests, assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Albright.

The three parlors of the Albright home were gay with holly and greens, and the furniture had all been removed to facilitate dancing. After a short order of dances, there were games, several vocal solos by Miss Dora Goodsell, recitations by Mrs. Marion Albright Bray, an elaborate supper and then songs in which every one joined.

Among those present were: Miss Minnie Livingston, Miss Blix Smith, Miss Mitchell, Miss Grace Hilborn, Miss Mamie Pope, Misses Goodsell, Miss Craft, Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Bray, Clair Morrill, John J. Baumgartner, Duncan Albright, Violet Albright, Richard Ayer, Will Foote, Major and Mrs. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. John Albright, Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, Miss Pearl King and Mr. Powell.

## A PLEASANT PARTY.

Twenty-two members of the Acorema Club attended the Macdonough Theater Wednesday evening to see A. Salvini in *Don Cæsar de Bazan*. After the play the members of the club adjourned to the home of the Misses White and partook of a bounteous repast prepared for the occasion. Those present were: The Misses A. White, K. White, M. McKee, T. Rearden, Eva Crawford, L. Stonesifer, S. Stone, E. Pratt, L. McKillican, M. Hines and L. Worley; Messrs. Ray Kitchener, Will White, Will Mackay, Dr. Taylor, R. Carpenter, N. Whitman, Mr. Ames, Mr. Clifford, Tom Moran and Harry Miller. Mrs. McKillican chaperoned the club.

The Acorema Club has been growing steadily since its organization in May and promises to be one of Oakland's foremost social clubs. Bi-weekly meetings are held at the homes of the members, at which dancing and whist are the entertaining features. Many most enjoyable gatherings have already been held, and the members are looking forward to many others during the present winter. During the season the club is much taken up with tennis.

Marvelous pies for Christmas Day. They should always be prepared with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## GOING ABROAD.

Julius Abrahamson, of the well-known firm of Abrahamson Brothers, is going abroad. He has deserved a vacation after the many years he has devoted to duty, and he now proposes to enjoy it abroad in the midst of congenial acquaintances and friends. Mr. Abrahamson's departure has been mentioned in connection with another wedding in the Abrahamson family, and some have hinted that, on his return to this country, he will be accompanied by a bride. It is true, that the gentleman in question, will attend a wedding in Europe, but it will not be one in which he will appear as a principal. It will be a golden wedding to take place in Berlin and his aunt will be the bride. Mr. Abrahamson will leave after the holidays and will be absent in Europe several months.

## A MUSICALE.

A charming musicale was given last Sunday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris and Professor and Mrs. J. B. Hall entertained a number of friends at their residence, 413 Twelfth street. Professor Hall is the leader of the Arion Orchestra, and, assisted by that musical combination, he treated those present to a rare programme of orchestral music.

The members of the organization present were: W. McBain, J. A. Zander, F. Morey, H. Nedderman, H. von Buskirk, A. Berwick, J. Frost, E. Colby, B. Brutche, J. Lanfland, M. Braun and A. Hall.

Mrs. J. B. Melvin sang "The Angel's Serenade," with violin accompaniment, by J. H. Hall.

R. Hall Jr., a young violinist of considerable promise, rendered a solo from *The Carnival of Venice*, and also played with Miss Marion Hall in a violin duet.

Mrs. R. Hall, accompanied by Professor R. Hall, sang a solo with very fine effect.

Mr. Harris devoted his attention to the physical wants of the guests, and both Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Hall showed themselves most admirable hostesses. Besides those already named there were present: Mrs. J. A. Zander, Dr. Bluett, the Misses Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchens, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trost, J. B. Melvin and R. Cracker.

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS.

Last Thursday night there was a very enjoyable party given by the senior class of the High school in Masonic Hall. The spacious hall was filled with young people and the evening was passed in the manner peculiar to youths who care not for the morrow. There was an additional interest centered in the gathering because, the term "senior" means that, for a number of the members of the class at least, only a few months more remain of school life. The close of the scholastic year will occasion the breaking of many ties of a friendly character which have long existed between the members of the class and, as a consequence, the pleasures of school life can live only in the memory of those who love the past.

The programme comprised a number of choice dance selections which kept the happy crowd of young people in a merry mood until midnight. The party was in the hands of an excellent committee and to them the guests felt extremely grateful for the excellent entertainment afforded.

## WEDDED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmiel was one of the most pleasant of those unusual events which signify a quarter of a century of wedded bliss which have recently been celebrated in this city. It took place at the residence of the couple, 696 Adeline street. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers. A fine dinner was served. The presents were exceedingly handsome. After supper some vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed. The following were among the guests: Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Gaetjen, Mrs. Krenyke, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Carlsen, Mr. and Mrs. Viers, Mrs. Ruth, A. Viers, H. B. Pangburn, V. Bertram, G. Blakie, Mr. Huchling, Mrs. H. Schmiel, Henry Gaetjen, Herman Gaetjen, Miss T. Anderson, Miss B. Gaetjen, A. Schmiel, Miss C. Schmiel, Miss L. Schmiel, Miss E. Schmiel, E. Schmiel, G. Schmiel.

The costumes of the ladies were becoming and handsome. The dancing and festivities were continued until the early hours of the morning, and when the guests departed they expressed themselves charmed with the evening's entertainment.

## OFF TO EUROPE.

W. M. Watson of the firm of W. M. Watson & Co., leaves today for an extended trip around the world. It is his intention to visit the principal countries in Europe, and when he returns he will have stories of adventure, and notes of travel voluminous enough to fill a book.

## OAKLAND CYCLE CLUB.

The first grand masquerade ball of the Oakland Cycle Club was given in Military Hall last Thursday evening. The proceeds will be applied to the fund for the new club rooms. The ball was the occasion of a fine gathering of the young people who have acquired a knowledge of the flying wheel and revel in a spin along the country roads, when they are in condition to enable record-time to be made. The guests displayed great versatility in the selection of their costumes, all of which were worn with happy effect, and many of which were both rich and beautiful.

The music was excellent, and the end of the dance programme was reached only too early to satisfy the guests, although the programme comprised twelve numbers, with a number of extras. The success of the ball was considered remarkable, especially in view of the fact that it was the initial terpsichorean effort of the club.

The ball was under the management of the following members:

Committee of Arrangements—I. Bernstein, S. Samuels, A. P. Swain, F. L. Hansen, V. R. Cragen, C. H. Cowell, A. Fibush, T. J. Manning, H. F. Patterson and M. Levy.

Floor Director—C. H. Cowell; assistant, F. L. Hansen.

Reception Committee—John P. Bartelme, Fred Kahn, S. Samuels, F. S. Osgood, M. Levy and F. M. Byrne.

Floor Committee—J. B. Moore, George Bruflett, J. Kitchen Jr., T. J. Manning, E. W. Decker and A. P. Swain.

The officers of the club for 1895 are as follows.

President, T. J. Manning; vice president, W. H. Stanley; recording secretary, H. F. Patterson; financial secretary and treasurer, S. Samuels; captain, John P. Bartelme; first lieutenant, F. L. Hansen; second lieutenant, C. R. Griffith.

Board of Directors—T. J. Manning, John P. Bartelme, H. F. Patterson, S. Samuels, V. R. Cragen, C. F. Lewis, C. H. Cowell, I. Bernstein and A. P. Swain.

Delegates to the California Associated Cycling Clubs—John P. Bartelme, F. L. Hansen and H. F. Patterson.

Like an Arabian Night's Entertainment—supper cooked with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## LOYAL LADIES.

Last Wednesday evening the Loyal Ladies of Clan Macdonald gave a grand ball in College Hall, corner of Twelfth and Harrison streets. There was a fine attendance, and the evening passed off in a most pleasant manner. There were fourteen numbers on the dance programme, and the medley was not reached until every guest had had a surfeit of pleasure.

The Reception Committee consisted of Mrs. McAllister, Mrs. Guild and Mrs. McHaffie. Messrs. Anderson and Rhodes acted as floor managers. The committee in charge of the floor comprised Mrs. Bruce, Miss Cooper and Miss Guild.

The Loyal Ladies are now in an excellent financial condition, and are making commendable progress. The present officers are as follows: President, Mrs. McAllister; ex-president, Mrs. Biers; vice president, Mrs. Hunter; chaplain, Mrs. James Rankin; recording secretary, Miss Biers; financial secretary, Miss Guild; treasurer, Mrs. McHaffie; conductor, Miss McLean; inside guard, Mrs. Baxter; outside guard, Mrs. Porter.

## THE BOYS' CLUB.

Last Tuesday night the Boys' Club gave an entertainment at Third and Franklin streets to their friends. The entertainment was largely attended and all present had a fine time. It was given for the purpose of buying materials and tools for making hammock baskets and useful articles. After the entertainment a meeting was held and the following were elected officers for the year: Charley Marshall, president; Aleck Nevender, vice president; Hubert Belisle, secretary; Harold Bishop, treasurer.

## A CHRISTMAS TREE.

Sixty little children from the West Oakland Free Kindergarten, on Peralta and Pacific streets, sang their songs and played their games at Bartlett Hall yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Lessons of politeness, industry, cleanliness, patience, obedience, etc., were woven into their plays, and what might otherwise seem irksome becomes a joy and delight.

The behavior of the children and the success of the programme reflected great credit upon the principal, Miss Winnie McFarland, and her assistant, Miss Alice Brown.

A large Christmas tree was the wondering admiration of the little tots, and they marched home with light hearts, but heavy packages. They received dolls, horses, candy, apples, oranges and some of the pretty work they had made in the school.

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## NOTES.

The engagement is announced of Crosby O. Hyde and Miss Daisy Hanson.

Mrs. Hugo Abrahamson will be at home on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 1224 Filbert street.

The wedding of Charles P. Thompson and Miss Laura E. Small will take place January 1st at high noon at the residence of the bride's parents in Berkeley.

The marriage of Sarah Ethel Blethen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Blethen, to F. Delemar Dolbier will take place Monday evening next at 8:30 o'clock at 563 Fourteenth street.

When domestic storms threaten, restore peace by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It is perfect.

## HAND IN HAND.

### Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

December 21—Andrew Andker, a resident of San Francisco, aged 40 years, and Francisco Eriksen, a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years; by Rev. I. L. P. Dietrichson.

December 12th—Henry Clay Townsend, a resident of San Francisco, aged 36 years, and Gertrude Elizabeth Samson, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years; by Rev. Henry E. J. Orgerth.

December 14th—James Kerr, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Jessie Guarrino Warren, a resident of Alameda, aged 23 years; by G. A. Swasey, J. P.

December 14th—Joseph Latham, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years, and May Beehan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummber.

December 15th—Adolph Mayer, a resident of Oakland, aged 56 years, and Anna Notz, a resident of Oakland, aged 48 years; by James Larue, J. P.

December 15th—Andrew Jensen, a resident of Loomis, aged 27 years, and Sophia Magadelene Nielson, a resident of Oakland, aged 24 years; by Rev. I. L. P. Dietrichson.

December 15th—Peter August Anderson, a resident of Berkeley, aged 23 years, and Evangeline Berkeley Guinette, a resident of Berkeley, aged 19 years; by Rev. F. J. Mynard.

December 16th—Louis Francis, a resident of Murray township, aged 23 years, and Lavida Enos, a resident of Murray township, aged 17 years; by Rev. Father Patrick Power.

December 16th—Lucien Rouillo, a resident of Oakland, aged 38 years, and Rosie and Mayot, a resident of Oakland, aged 20 years; by Rev. Father Lawrence Serda.

December 16th—John Elias Dokey, a resident of Oakland, aged 56 years, and Sadie Edwards, a resident of Oakland, aged 41 years; by Rev. Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Joseph Thomas Ennis, a resident of Oakland, aged 48 years, and Jennie Tiffer, a resident of Oakland, aged 38 years; by Rev. Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Albert Rutherford Holborn, a resident of San Francisco, aged 23 years, and Sophie Maude Madge, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. Benjamin Akerly.

December 16th—Michael John Balfe, a resident of San Francisco, aged 50 years, and Mary Louisa May, a resident of San Francisco, aged 51 years; by Rev. Alfred T. Perkins.

December 17th—Samuel Maurice Taber, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years, and Octavine Coe, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

December 17th—Charles Lawrence Lindsay, a resident of Oakland, aged 31 years, and Lillie Gisin, a resident of San Francisco, aged 18 years; by Rev. Elbert R. Dille.

December 17th—Earl James Cassidy, a resident of Salinas, aged 24 years, and Ica Utterback, a resident of Hanford, aged 24 years; by Rev. George W. Beatty.

December 18th—Vernon Waldron, a resident of Oakland, aged 30 years, and Bessie Adelia Gaskill, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. Robert Ritchie.

December 19th—Morris Ones, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years, and Hilda Anderson, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. F. J. Mynard.

December 19th—Edmund Percival Christie, a resident of Sacramento, aged 27 years, and Carrie Marie Simpson, a resident of Centerville, aged 24 years; by Rev. Thomas G. Crump.

December 19th—Joseph Cheney Mowry, a resident of Alameda, aged 36 years, and Elizabeth Helen Jury, a resident of Alameda, aged 18 years; by Rev. Thomas G. Crump.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Ferguson and daughter of Dutch Flat are the guests of Mrs. Helen Boek of 953 Franklin street.

Mrs. Susan Barlow of Park street, Alameda, is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. S. Carlton of Berkeley has returned from a visit to Los Angeles.

Harry Buttell, formerly of this city and Berkeley is traveling in the East.

Louis Wicht has returned from a visit to Brentwood.

Mrs. F. T. Chambers of Alameda was the recipient of a very pleasant surprise party at her residence, Thursday evening.

T. Rodgers of Berkeley will spend the holidays in Sacramento.

The Crescent Social Club of Berkeley gave a pleasant dance at Pythian Hall, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fanny Heime and son of Webster street, left for New York last Monday.

T. L. Harrington and family of East Oakland will spend the holidays at Pasadena.

George Emerson is on his way to Arizona, when he will resume his occupation of mining.

V. J. Galindo of Temescal has returned from a visit to Concord.

H. A. Monser, pastor of the Christian Church of Berkeley, has returned from a lecturing tour throughout the State.

Leading styles in millinery at Miss Williams'. Macdonough Theater Building.

Wigs, dominoes and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 1103 Washington street.

Miss R. A. Gallagher, Millinery, 1153 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

## LICENSED TO MARRY.

| NAME. | RESIDENCE. | AGE. |
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| John Hildreth Crow | Oakland | 33 |
| Annie Margaret Bandholdt | Oakland | 23 |
| Martin Gargens | Berkeley | 31 |
| Julia Medina | Berkeley | 19 |
| Joseph Thompson Boyd | San Francisco | 26 |
| Ida Alice Widmer | San Francisco | 18 |
| George David James | San Francisco | 42 |
| Laura Augusta Dingley | West Berkeley | 28 |
| George Schmidt | Berkeley | 24 |
| Nellie Marie Collignon | Berkeley | 30 |
| Lester Magill | San Leandro | 22 |
| Mary Flores Marques | San Leandro | 16 |

## A CHRISTMAS TREE.

### An Enjoyable Time at Chester Street Church.

The Chester Street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school gave their Christmas tree last night to the great delight of 250 members and their friends, making a house in which standing room could not be had. Many stood in the vestibule and caught glimpses of the beauty and enthusiasm within.

The little ones from the primary departments gave most of the programme, and delighted parents and teachers by the skill and grace shown.

Santa Claus was present and took the little ones in his arms to their great astonishment and pleasure.

The wonderful "pack" contained a present for each scholar in the school and all went home happy.

The trees were most beautiful, one representing a California Christmas full of bright things. The other grew out of a snowdrift and hung full of the fleecy whiteness to represent Christmas as it is yonder.

"What's the matter with the griddle cakes?" "Why, I forgot to use Dr. Price's Baking Powder."

## SIR CHAS. WILSON'S TRIP.

### He Comes to Inspect the Railroad Property.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, the special delegate of the English holders of Central Pacific Railway securities, arrived at the Oakland mole late yesterday afternoon on a special train from the south. He was met down the road by A. N. Towne, W. H. Mills, W. G. Curtis, C. C. Brotherton, Isaac Requa and other railroad officials. Sir Charles Wilson represents 60 per cent of the $68,000,000 of Central Pacific stock held in England, Holland and the United States. His mission here is to ascertain as far as possible just how matters stand with the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

Sir Charles Wilson is known as a brilliant financier. He was connected with the settlement of Egypt's great debt.

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The reporter called—Say, Sanborn, what's the news today?

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"These are fine looking bulbs, sure."

"Tell your friends to call and see them. Now is the time to plant." Hutchison & Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Do you know that the Metropolitan Furniture Company on the corner of Thirteenth and Washington streets, has two large stores filled with the best selection of furniture at astonishing low prices.

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Children's Cape Overcoats, ages 4 to 14, for $1.75, at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

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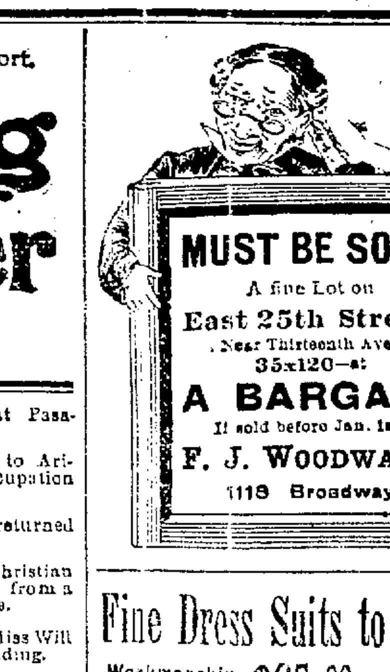


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F. F. WESTON AND GEORGE W. AUSTIN, having sold all their interest in and to the business of Howlett & Co. and the "Record stable," at 213 Eleventh street, to W. F. Howlett, said Howlett being now sole proprietor, will collect all accounts due said stable and assumes the payment of all bills against said stable.

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# TEN OUT.

## A Lively Tussle Is Certain.

## Senator Perkins to Be Fought.

### All the Candidates Possible Being Posted.

### The Plan Is to Secure Victory With a Combination Play.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—It has been an open secret here for some time past that despite all the assurances that have been made that Senator Perkins will succeed himself, such an event may not probably take place.

As a matter of fact, many of the "practical" politicians are quietly working against him and the way they are doing it is as follows:

Realizing that some delegations are pledged to Perkins and that many members of others have expressed their preference for him they will try and get as many candidates in the fight as follows and thus distribute the votes.

In this way they trust to break the Perkins combination up and then get in and win with the man they finally decide on.

An idea of how far this has been already worked up can be obtained from the following list of candidates, all of whom, it is said, will be in the contest when the Legislature meets:

JOHN D. SPRECKELS,
C. H. PHILLIPS,
IRVING M. SCOTT,
C. N. FELTON,
GENERAL CHIPMAN,
JACOB NEFF,
M. M. ESTEE,
GOVERNOR MARKHAM,
M. H. DE YOUNG,
GEORGE C. PERKINS.

As regards the names on the list, Phillips, Scott and Perkins are avowed candidates, Spreckels and De Young on the quiet, Felton, Chipman and Neff waiting to come in, Markham ready to respond to a call by his friends, and Estee in lieu of his being beaten for the Governorship.

It ought to be a pretty race.

Senator Perkins is expected here Thursday next from Washington and will at once attend personally to his campaign.

What victory in modern competition can compare with the triumph won by Dr. Price's Baking Powder at the Chicago and California Midwinter Fairs.

## THE HONORED DEAD.

### Sir John Thompson's Remains on Their Last Journey.

LONDON, December 22.—After a night of pitiless rain, the weather cleared at 9 o'clock this morning, and under a bright sky, the body of Sir John Thompson, the late Premier of Canada, left London for Portsmouth amid the profound silence of a large crowd who stood with uncovered heads about the railroad station until the train was out of sight.

No stop was made until the train reached its destination.

The funeral procession reached Victoria station at 8:45 A. M.

The coffin was in an open four-horse hearse, which was followed by four mourning coaches.

Over the coffin was the Canadian flag, and upon the latter rested the Queen's laurel wreath, which she personally placed upon the temporary coffin, previous to the removal of the remains from Windsor Castle.

In the first carriage following the hearse was Senator Sanford.

## COURT NOTES.

### Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Mrs. Laura L. Carrick, by her attorney, George E. DeGolia, has instituted proceedings to obtain a divorce from her husband, Willard P. Carrick, on the ground of failure to provide. The defendant's whereabouts are unknown, but he is supposed to be somewhere in California.

The suit of John E. Plouff against M. L. Cavanaugh is to be dismissed at the request of Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, attorney for the plaintiff. The parties to the action were at one time engaged in selling patent medicine.

Mary Kruger has filed a cross-complaint in the suit of C. E. Lloyd, assignee of the Life Annuity Association, against Eliza C. Head and others, wherein she asks for a decree adjudging that she has a prior claim and lien upon the promissory note described in the complaint, amounting to $1784 30.

Lydia A. Gilmore, matron of the West Oakland Home, filed an answer in court today to the amended complaint of Margaret M. Hart for damages. Mrs. Gilmore denies all the allegations. The suit is the outcome of Miss Hart's arrest for disturbing the peace at the home.

Judge A. L. Frick has chosen Harry E. Belden, Richard Potts and W. F. Kroll to appraise the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased. Sneck & Church are the attorneys for the estate.

The following have declared their intention of becoming American citizens: Samuel Lichtenstein, a native of Russia; Jose Cypricino Silveira, Portugal; Fritz Albert Arlburg, Sweden; John Thomas Carrier, Prince Edward Island.

## SHERIFF WHITE'S DEPUTIES.

### He Announces the Selection of His Assistants.

Sheriff-elect C. B. White has now decided upon those who he will appoint when he takes his office. Mr. White will appoint his son, Albert White, chief jailer at the County Jail and will retain William Lane as assistant jailer for a while, and perhaps permanently.

C. E. Lloyd has been selected to succeed W. S. Harlow as Under Sheriff, and J. W. Dutton, Samuel Hollar, Hugo Smith and Charles White, also a son of the Sheriff-elect, will be court bailiffs. Mr. White will keep Mr. Harlow in the office until Mr. Lloyd becomes thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the office. The Sheriff-elect has had several hundred applications for the few positions at his disposal.

A contented mind is better than riches. Dr. Price's Baking Powder brings content.

# HOSED HIM.

## Peter Servin Was Dressed in His Best.

### So His Wife Treated Him to a Shower-Bath.

### On Another Occasion She Hit With a Chunk of Iron.

Sophia F. Servin is having a lively time to secure a divorce from Peter M. Servin. She wants a legal separation on the ground of cruelty, but her husband says that she is the one at fault, and that is why he has entered his protest in court to try and prevent her securing a divorce.

Mrs. Servin says that she really cannot understand the charges made against her by her husband. The husband says that his wife informed him: "I do not want him because I do not like him. He is the biggest rascal living. He is a devil. I hate him."

Mrs. Servin says that she does not understand this kind of talk and she wants her husband to explain.

Servin says that he can explain all right and tell a great deal more than is set forth in his answer. He says that his wife made a target of him; that she picked up a plate and fired it at his head, but he dodged and caught it on the elbow and it broke in pieces.

The husband is a religious man and he sometimes reads the Bible. "I was reading the Holy Book one day," said he in his answer, "when my wife got angry and threw a piece of iron at me. She called me vile names and told me that I ought to be hanged and she wished she had a pistol to kill me."

The husband says that this was not a happy reception to receive while he was at prayer.

A FIGHT FOR AN UMBRELLA.

The next escapade at the home was when there was a contest for the only umbrella in the house. The storm was raging and Servin wanted to use the umbrella and so did his wife. They had a tug-of-war with the result that the umbrella got the worst of it and fell to pieces.

But this tussle was not as lively as the dipper escapade. Servin says that his wife got a dipper of water and she was going to dash it in his face. He saw the play and proposed to beat it if he could. He made a leap and a grab and the dipper was then in jeopardy. Both pulled for possession and the dipper and the handle parted company.

But even that experience was not half as exciting as the events that came later. Servin dressed up in his best suit of clothes one day and was very swell parading around his backyard. He made his wife jealous with all his style. Mrs. Servin proposed to get even, and have a laugh on her husband, so she sneaked around and turned the hose on him. He was a sight when his wife got through with him, dressed in his best suit of clothes, as he was. Mr. Servin says that he was sick for weeks after he had been hosed.

It is set forth that Mrs. Servin displayed her remarkable strength one day when she stood off a man named Olsen and her husband. The men had gained her ill will by trying to enter the house. First she took her husband in hand and hurled him down a flight of stairs, a distance of fifteen feet. He never stopped bounding until he struck the street. Olsen laughed in his sleeve over the fate of his partner. In a moment he got it in the neck, for that is where Mrs. Servin's hand struck him, and he, too, went scooting down the stairs, landing all in a heap on the sidewalk.

And to all these charges Mrs. Servin has entered a demurrer.

## TO RULE RUSSIA.

BERLIN, December 22.—The *Voerwarts* today prints what it claims to be the draft of the new Russian constitution which the People's Rights party has prepared for Russia.

It provides for an imperial parliament and a diet for each province.

Each member of the imperial parliament is to represent 30,000 people and be elected by universal suffrage.

The Czar is to remain supreme head of the State.

# CHANGED.

## The Japs' Flags Are Waving.

## Port Arthur Now Well Fortified.

### The March to Monkden City Is Abandoned.

### Corean Affairs Are Being Handled With a Tight Rein.

YOKOHAMA, December 8th (per steamer City of Pekin, via San Francisco, December 22d).—General Oyama left Port Arthur December 1st, moving northward toward Min Chow, which he reached on the 2d.

A sufficient force was detached from the second army to occupy the fortifications.

Fifty-seven of the large caliber guns abandoned by the Chinese are serviceable and sixty-three of the smaller caliber are undergoing repairs by the Japanese artillery and will soon be put in order.

The harbor has been turned over to the navy.

The lower part of the Liao Tung peninsula is under the Japanese civil control, the natives gladly accepting the authority and protection of the conquerors.

Lines of telegraph are in course of extension along the eastern shore of the peninsula and complete connection with the headquarters of the first army at Kiuslin is soon expected. General Oyama's movements indicate a purpose to march upon Fu Chow, a town half way between Kin Chow and New Chwang, but no definite announcement of his plans has been made public.

Although Wei Hai Wei lies virtually defenseless at the southern side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili no steps toward its occupation have yet been taken.

Chee Foo is in a state of utter demoralization so far as the local authorities are concerned.

When the fugitives from Port Arthur began to pour into town, accompanied by the panic stricken runaways from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese officers applied to the foreign Consuls to land forces from the ships of war to defend the place from the native soldiery.

THE PORT ARTHUR SCANDAL.

The report that numbers of Chinese were needlessly slaughtered at Port Arthur receives no denial.

The fact appears to be that the Japanese were inflamed to madness at the spectacle of their mutilated comrades, which was the first thing that met their eyes on the entrance of one of the principal fortifications.

In their onset upon the garrison at this point, they showed no mercy until their thirst for revenge was satisfied.

This is the story now current, but it should be stated that although not contradicted, it does not find place in any of the official records of events.

The latest intelligence from Kin Lin wholly discredits the Chinese rumors of Japanese reverses at Maties.

The mountain passes in that region are numerous, and while the Japanese were advancing by one route an attempt was made by another to strike them in the rear.

It was of no avail and had no disturbing effect upon the invading columns, but the march to Moukden appears to have been dropped out of the Japanese programme.

SEOUL, December 6.—The energy with which Count Inouye develops his projects of reform has a startling effect upon the Korean court.

On December 4th he had a second interview with the King from which not only the Queen but also the entire royal family and the officers of the household were excluded.

The vacillating sovereign was made to understand that if the Secretary's plots for the return of the King were allowed to continue, the capital should be again occupied by Japanese troops and martial law proclaimed.

The King was informed that the Minister of the Interior had been directly concerned in fomenting the Tong Hak insurrections, and was advised to dispense with the services of that official.

Before the day ended the unfaithful Minister had resigned.

**The Anarchists.**

ROME, December 21.—Three newspapers were confiscated today for publishing proceedings of a meeting of the League of Liberty, an anarchistic society.

Numbers of taxpayers have decided to refuse to pay new taxes and will test the validity of the law.

**The Hungarian Cabinet.**

BUDA PESTH, December 22.—The Hungarian cabinet ministers have sent a special messenger to the Emperor, at Vienna, tendering their resignation. The decision of the Emperor will be announced Thursday next. M. Banffy is expected to form the new cabinet.

## ARMENIAN AFFAIRS.

### A Thorough Investigation Ordered by the Powers.

VIENNA, December 22.—Advices from Constantinople say the Porte objects to part of the instructions given the delegates of foreign powers who are to follow with the Armenian Commission.

The powers, however, with the exception of Germany, refuse to modify their instructions and it was understood Great Britain is determined to make an impartial inquiry into the stories told of the Turkish atrocities and will insist upon the punishment of the guilty persons.

In addition, should the present inquiry fail to be as thorough as Great Britain expects, she will demand the appointment of a fresh commission.

Will the next President come from the West? Dr. Price's Baking Powder is favorite in every Western State.

**Safe in Port.**

NEW YORK, December 22.—Arrived, Normannia, from Hamburg; Lucania, from Liverpool.

GIBRALTAR, December 22.—Passed, Fulda, from New York for Genoa.

BREMERHAVEN, December 22.—Arrived, Wesser, from New York, via Southampton.

**The Appelman Case.**

WOODLAND, Cal., December 22.—Owing to the illness of Carroll Cook's wife, the disability of District Attorney Head and the absence of witnesses for the defense, the court ordered an adjournment on the Appelman case this morning until Thursday, December 27th.

# HOW HE DIED.

## Story of the Passing Away of R. L. Stevenson.

### The Call Found the Novelist Hard at Work.

### King Malietoa of Samoa Is Preparing to Be Married.

[*Special Correspondence to the Associated Press per Steamer "Arawa."*]

SAMOA, December 4.—Robert Louis Stevenson, the eminent novelist, died at his beautiful home Vailima on Monday last, December 2d, very suddenly.

He had been busy at work until 4 o'clock and had written what are said to be some of his finest passages and then left his work for dinner.

He had gone into the kitchen with his wife to prepare a favorite dish, and while there complained of a pain in the top of his head.

He returned to his drawing room and almost immediately fell back unconscious on a chair.

A physician was summoned, but his attendance was useless.

Stevenson never recovered consciousness and died at 8 o'clock the same evening.

The community was greatly shocked, and much regret was felt, although Stevenson had many opponents on account of his political views. Socially, he was highly esteemed.

When in good health, before his death, he had expressed a wish to be buried on the top of Vala Mountain, in a romantic spot 1400 feet above the sea level, known as "Tran Sooala" (or Pigeon Catching Place of Sooala). The interment took place there yesterday.

ISLAND MATTERS.

The rebels have declared their intention of making armed resistance to the Government, and are rebuilding the forts at Lutunanu, recently destroyed by the British and German warships. Everything indicates that serious trouble may be expected.

The Chief Justice, owing to the illness of his daughter, has gone to New Zealand for two months' vacation. The President, Herr Schmidt, is acting as Chief Justice, whereat much dissatisfaction is expressed.

Information having been received by the authorities of a shipment of ammunition sent from Europe to Samoa, the cargoes of all incoming vessels will be searched and any war materials found confiscated.

Kink Malietoa is about to marry a girl named Sueina, daughter of one of the most powerful chiefs here, with a wide connection. It is thought that this marriage will strengthen Malietoa's position.

The labor question is not more important than the pure food question. The latter can always be settled by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## LOST HIS REASON.

### A Double Murder Was Too Much for an Attorney to Witness.

QUINCY, Ill., December 21.—Frank Trumbull, the attorney, who was present in the Council Bluffs Bank, when Clerk Huntington shot two detectives and himself, has become insane, the attack striking him at Newcomb Hotel, en route to his old home at Keokuk. It is thought that his mind was shattered by the scene at the bank.

**The Bank Statement.**

NEW YORK, December 22.—The weekly bank statement is: Reserve, increase $554,850; loans, decrease, $80,605,100; increase, $6,551,100; specie, increase, $6,551,000; legal tenders, decrease, $8,569,000; deposits, decrease, $1,294,200; circulation, increase, $36,200. The banks now hold $33,900,675 in excess of the legal requirements.

# TRAPPED.

## Royalists Headed Off Again.

## A Plot to Restore the Queen.

### Guns and Ammunition Found in Their Houses.

### The Provisional Government Is Hard to Kill Off Now.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The following special advices to the Associated Press arrived this morning on the steamer Arawa:

HONOLULU, December 14.—10 A. M.—The talk of the town this week is the unearthing of an alleged Royalist conspiracy.

Saturday evening last the police went to the house of John E. Bush and arrested him and E. C. Crick on a charge of conspiracy against the Government.

Upon searching the house seven rifles were found.

Soon after being lodged in jail Joseph Nawahi, a native lawyer, called to see them and was arrested on the same charge.

About midnight W. F. Wood and Emil Klemme were also arrested, the former as an accessory to the conspiracy and the latter for having arms in his possession unlawfully.

Several houses of suspects were searched on Sunday, but no arms were found.

Monday a thorough search of the house occupied by Crick brought to light four rifles, two pistols and 150 rounds of ammunition, all of which were concealed under the floor.

The prisoners are confined in separate cells and will be examined on Monday next, bail being refused in the meantime.

Bush has been publishing a small sheet daily in native and English in which he has been scoring the present Government and assuring the natives that the Queen would surely be restored.

Crick is an English chemist and was implicated in the alleged Walker-Sinclair conspiracy of a year ago.

After his arrest he appealed to British Commissioner Hawes for protection, but was told that nothing could be done for him.

Government officials are very reticent about the case, but claim to have abundant evidence to convict the principal conspirators.

SMUGGLERS TRIPPED UP.

Ninety pounds of opium, which came on the last Australian steamer was captured by the customs officials.

It was dropped overboard into a skiff concealed under the wharf and then buried.

The parties who owned the drug received information that Gilsey, the man to whom it had been delivered, intended to appropriate the whole, and rather than let him get away with it they gave the whole thing away. Gilsey pleaded guilty in the District Court and was sentenced to six months in jail and $250 fine.

GENERAL NOTES.

Chief Crowley is still here and has had some talk with Government officials in regard to the transfer of San Francisco lepers to Molokai, but nothing has been settled yet. The proposition is regarded with general disfavor here. The Chief will likely leave here by the China on the 31st inst.

There have been several shocks of earthquake on the island of Hawaii, and one on this island during the past week. The volcano of Kilanea is more active than ever, and some old settlers predict an overflow as the result of the earthquakes.

Captain John C. Biel, of the German bark Paul Isenberg, died suddenly yesterday morning. A coroner's jury found that the death resulted from an overdose of laudanum but there are suspicions that he met with foul play as he had trouble with his crew on the voyage to Germany.

Captain Perkins, well known in Honolulu and San Francisco shipping circles, was lost off the Arawa on the night of the 7th inst. He had recently purchased the condemned bark Elsinore. It seems to have been a clear case of suicide, as the sea was perfectly calm at the time.

Robert Louis Stevenson died at his home in Samoa on Sunday, December 2d. His death was very sudden, but no particulars are given. He was buried on a hill at the back of his residence.

**Who Lost Carpenters' Tools?**

The police want owners for a kit of carpenter's tools found in possession of Charles Miller, who was arrested by Officer Carson yesterday for vagrancy. The wooden handles of the tools are marked with the initials "D." and "D. T. E."

## THE WHIST GAMES.

### Result of the Tournament at the Acme Club.

The final results of the whist tournament have at last been obtained.

Weston and Champion won the first prize, Bernett and Wright won the second prize and Jacobus and Weber won the booby prize.

The schedule of the games is as follows:

| NAMES OF PLAYERS. | Played | Won | Lost | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Weston & Champion | 48 | 32 | 16 | .66 2-3 |
| Bernett & Wright | 48 | 31 | 17 | .64 7-12 |
| Williamson & Mullen | 45 | 29 | 16 | .64 4-9 |
| Humphreys & Rogers | 45 | 27 | 18 | .60 |
| Brouillet & Cowell | 45 | 26 | 19 | .57 7-9 |
| Selna & Voorhies | 45 | 25 | 20 | .55 5-9 |
| Simon & Champion | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Swain & Van Haltren | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Parsons & Ruppert | 45 | 23 | 22 | .51 1-9 |
| Slattery & Hamilton | 45 | 22 | 23 | .48 8-9 |
| Hawbaker & Young | 45 | 21 | 24 | .46 2-3 |
| Jacobus & McCormick | 45 | 20 | 25 | .44 4-9 |
| Allen & Cook | 45 | 20 | 25 | .44 4-9 |
| Donovan & Hughes | 45 | 18 | 27 | .40 |
| Chambers & Kings | 45 | 10 | 35 | .22 2-9 |
| Jacobus & Weber | 45 | 8 | 37 | .17 7-9 |

The merchant, the banker, the clerk, the mechanic, the farmer—all like food raised with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

**A Last Chance.**

TOPEKA, December 22.—In connection with the hunt for the murderer of Mrs. Matson, it has been decided to photograph the victim's eyes as possibly a means of finding a clue.

# SEVEN WARDS.

## A New Arrangement Proposed for Berkeley.

### How the Town Officers Are to Be Selected.

### The Board of Freeholders Busy on the New Charter.

The Board of Freeholders selected to prepare a new charter for Berkeley have so far decided on the following:

The town is to be divided into seven wards. Each ward is to be represented on the Board of Trustees by one member. The Board of Education will also be composed of seven members, each representing a ward. The Trustees and members of the Board of Education will be voted for by the electors of their respective wards, solely.

The officers of the town will be an Assessor, Marshal, Clerk and Treasurer, to be voted for by a general ballot.

Those members of the boards of trustees and education who represent even numbered wards shall hold office for four years.

The representatives of the odd-numbered wards shall be elected for two years.

The Attorney, Superintendent of Streets and Engineer shall be elected by the Board of Trustees, and hold office at its discretion.

No compensation is to be received by any member of the Board of Trustees, except the president, who as *ex-officio* Auditor, shall receive a sum fixed at the pleasure of the board.

## A PLEASURE

Given is doubly enjoyed, by the one who gives sometimes more than the receiver. What pleasure is greater than to see the ones we love happy. The glad season of Christmas is here; let us try to have all the dear ones remembered, if not with an article of great value, some little token that we may enjoy their pleasure.

**Our Books**

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Single Volumes, - from 20c to $10
Sets of Fiction, History, Etc. - - - - 75c to $35
Children's Books - 5c to $1
A choice lot of illustrated paper covers.

**Framed Pictures**

Are in great variety and at all prices
White and Gold, Silver, Oak, Bronze Moldings.

**Leather Goods**

The department is overflowing with novelties and bargains of every kind

Purses and Card Cases (Silver mounted), from - - - $1.20 to $10
Writing Desks and Tablets - - - 75c to $12.50
Music Rolls - - 65c to 6 25
Photograph Frames 50c to 8.00
(A choice lot—new designs).

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There is no end to the quantity and variety.

Building Blocks,
Picture Books,
Dolls with Natural Hair,
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Xmas Tree Decorations.

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# HEARTY.

## Liberal Donations Coming In.

## Many a Home Will Be Made Glad.

### Everybody Who Can Should Send a Donation.

### Send In Your Gifts to "The Tribune" Relief Bureau.

Monday next the goods contributed to THE TRIBUNE Christmas Relief Bureau for the assistance of the poor will be distributed.

The donations consist of flour, cornmeal, coal, coke, groceries, clothing and toys.

They are not numerous enough, however, to satisfy the needs of one-tenth of the poor people who have made application for relief.

They will be made to go as far, however, as possible, and will be distributed with a great deal of care.

For the purpose of enabling people who are disposed to contribute to the relief of the needy, the Bureau will be kept open tonight, tomorrow morning until 12 o'clock, and Monday noon. During those times goods of any description which will be of any assistance to the poor will be received.

The latest donations are as follows:

Reed & Miller, a large sack of flour and a sack of potatoes.

Mrs. Dannie, a lot of books.

A Lady, a hat and a number of skirts.

A Little Girl, several cloth jackets.

Mrs. Finy Bartlett, 1311 Franklin street, a wagon load of toys, boys' and girls' and men's and women's clothing.

Russell Seaman, 1204 Harrison street, an assortment of toys.

A Friend, 25 cents cash.

Mrs. Donaho, several packages of rice and cans of preserves.

"A friend of the poor" sent a check for $5.

E. M. Corliss of 1620 Eighth street generously left $2 50 for the fund.

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A friend—Some tea and sugar.

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"COWES, December 22d.

"*To Smith, Yacht Club, New York*—Thanks for your cable. Special meeting fixed for 7th of January.

(Signed) "GRANT."

This is evidently a reply to the America's Cup Committee's cable of Thursday making concessions as to the date of the race.

**"Wild and Woolly."**

WINSBORO, Tex., December 22.—News comes of a serious cutting affray at Pictou, between Professor J. B. Gay and Wilmer Randolph, a school boy, who would not obey. Professor Gay started to whip the boy, who stabbed him and ran. Gay drew a knife and cut the boy. It is thought that both will die.

## A BURNING QUESTION.

HUSBAND—Nellie, what are you paying for coal oil; I see the E. G. Buswell Paint Co. is advertising 10 gallons of water white Eastern oil for $1 25, delivered?

WIFE—Yes, I saw the ad and was going to try it, but my dealer said to look out for it, we would all be blown up.

HUSBAND—Nonsense! don't you believe it; they tell you this to frighten you. Two or three of my friends have tried the oil and say it is the best they ever used. Just address a postal card for 10 gallons to

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S. E. Cor. [illegible]

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# TEN OUT.

## A Lively Tussle Is Certain.

### Senator Perkins to Be Fought.

### All the Candidates Possible Being Pushed.

### The Plan Is to Secure Victory With a Combination Play.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—It has been an open secret here for some time past that despite all the assurances that have been made that Senator Perkins will succeed himself, such an event may not probably take place.

As a matter of fact, many of the "practical" politicians are quietly working against him and the way they are doing it is as follows:

Realizing that some delegations are pledged to Perkins and that many members of others have expressed their preference for him they will try and get as many candidates in the fight as follows and thus distribute the votes.

In this way they trust to break the Perkins combinations up and then get in and win with the man they finally decide on.

An idea of how far this has been already worked up can be obtained from the following list of candidates, all of whom, it is said, will be in the contest when the Legislature meets:

JOHN D. SPRECKELS,
C. H. PHILLIPS,
IRVING M. SCOTT,
C. N. FELTON,
GENERAL CHIPMAN,
JACOB NEFF,
M. M. ESTEE,
GOVERNOR MARKHAM,
M. H. DE YOUNG,
GEORGE C. PERKINS.

As regards the names on the list, Phillips, Scott and Perkins are avowed candidates, Spreckels and De Young on the quiet, Felton, Chipman and Neff waiting to come in, Markham ready to respond to a call by his friends, and Estee in lieu of his being beaten for the Governorship.

It ought to be a pretty race.

Senator Perkins is expected here Thursday next from Washington and will at once attend personally to his campaign.

What victory in modern competition can compare with the triumph won by Dr. Price's Baking Powder at the Chicago and California Midwinter Fairs.

## THE HONORED DEAD.

### Sir John Thompson's Remains on Their Last Journey.

LONDON, December 22.—After a night of pitiless rain, the weather cleared at 9 o'clock this morning, and under a bright sky, the body of Sir John Thompson, the late Premier of Canada, left London for Portsmouth amid the profound silence of a large crowd who stood with uncovered heads about the railroad station until the train was out of sight.

No stop was made until the train reached its destination.

The funeral procession reached Victoria station at 8:45 A. M.

The coffin was in an open four-horse hearse, which was followed by four mourning coaches.

Over the coffin was the Canadian flag, and upon the latter rested the Queen's laurel wreath, which she personally placed upon the temporary coffin, previous to the removal of the remains from Windsor Castle.

In the first carriage following the hearse was Senator Sanford.

## COURT NOTES.

### Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Judges.

Mrs. Laura L. Carrick, by her attorney, George E. DeGolia, has instituted proceedings to obtain a divorce from her husband, Willard P. Carrick, on the ground of failure to provide. The defendant's whereabouts are unknown, but he is supposed to be somewhere in California.

The suit of John E. Plouff against M. L. Cavanaugh is to be dismissed at the request of Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, attorney for the plaintiff. The parties to the action were at one time engaged in selling patent medicine.

Mary Kruger has filed a cross-complaint in the suit of C. E. Lloyd, assignee of the Life Annuity Association, against Eliza C. Head and others, wherein she asks for a decree adjudging that she has a prior claim and lien upon the promissory note described in the complaint, amounting to $1784 30.

Lydia A. Gilmore, matron of the West Oakland Home, filed an answer in court today to the amended complaint of Margaret M. Hart for damages. Mrs. Gilmore denies all the allegations. The suit is the outcome of Miss Hart's arrest for disturbing the peace at the home.

Judge A. L. Frick has chosen Harry E. Behren, Richard Potts and W. F. Kroll to appraise the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased. Snook & Church are the attorneys for the estate.

The following have declared their intention of becoming American citizens: Samuel Lichtenstein, a native of Russia; Jose Cypricino Silveira, Portugal; Fritz Albert Ariburg, Sweden; John Thomas Carrier, Prince Edward Island.

## SHERIFF WHITE'S DEPUTIES.

### He Announces the Selection of His Assistants.

Sheriff-elect C. B. White has now decided upon those who he will appoint when he takes his office. Mr. White will appoint his son, Albert White, chief jailer at the County Jail and will retain William Lane as assistant jailer for a while, and perhaps permanently.

C. E. Lloyd has been selected to succeed W. S. Harlow as Under Sheriff, and J. W. Dutton, Samuel Hellar, Hugh Smith and Charles White, also a son of the Sheriff-elect, will be court bailiffs. Mr. White will keep Mr. Harlow in the office until Mr. Lloyd becomes thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the office. The Sheriff-elect has had several hundred applications for the few positions at his disposal.

A contented mind is better than riches. Dr. Price's Baking Powder brings content.

# HOSED HIM.

### Peter Servin Was Dressed in His Best.

### So His Wife Treated Him to a Shower-Bath.

### On Another Occasion She Hit With a Chunk of Iron.

Sophia F. Servin is having a lively time to secure a divorce from Peter M. Servin. She wants a legal separation on the ground of cruelty, but her husband says that she is the one at fault, and that is why he has entered his protest in court to try and prevent her securing a divorce.

Mrs. Servin says that she really cannot understand the charges made against her by her husband. The husband says that his wife informed him: "I do not want him because I do not like him. He is the biggest rascal living. He is a devil. I hate him."

Mrs. Servin says that she does not understand this kind of talk and she wants her husband to explain.

Servin says that he can explain all right and tell a great deal more than is set forth in his answer. He says that his wife made a target of him; that she picked up a plate and fired it at his head, but he dodged and caught it on the elbow and it broke in pieces.

The husband is a religious man and he sometimes reads the Bible. "I was reading the Holy Book one day," said he in his answer, "when my wife got angry and threw a piece of iron at me. She called me vile names and told me that I ought to be hanged and she wished she had a pistol to kill me."

The husband says that this was not a happy reception to receive while he was at prayer.

A FIGHT FOR AN UMBRELLA.

The next escapade at the home was when there was a contest for the only umbrella in the house. The storm was raging and Servin wanted to use the umbrella and so did his wife. They had a tug-of-war with the result that the umbrella got the worst of it and fell to pieces.

But this tussle was not as lively as the dipper escapade. Servin says that his wife got a dipper of water and she was going to dash it in his face. He saw the play and proposed to beat it if he could. He made a leap and a grab and the dipper was then in jeopardy. Both pulled for possession and the dipper and the handle parted company.

But even that experience was not half as exciting as the events that came later. Servin dressed up in his best suit of clothes one day and was very swell parading around his backyard. He made his wife jealous with all his style. Mrs. Servin proposed to get even, and have a laugh on her husband, so she sneaked around and turned the hose on him. He was a sight when his wife got through with him, dressed in his best suit of clothes, as he was. Mr. Servin says that he was sick for weeks after he had been hosed.

It is set forth that Mrs. Servin displayed her remarkable strength one day when she stood off a man named Olsen and her husband. The men had gained her ill will by trying to enter the house. First she took her husband in hand and hurled him down a flight of stairs, a distance of fifteen feet. He never stopped bounding until he struck the street. Olsen laughed in his sleeve over the fate of his partner. In a moment he got it in the neck, for that is where Mrs. Servin's hand struck him, and he, too, went scooting down the stairs, landing all in a heap on the sidewalk.

And to all these charges Mrs. Servin has entered a demurrer.

## TO RULE RUSSIA.

BERLIN, December 22.—The *Vorwarts* today prints what it claims to be the draft of the new Russian constitution which the People's Rights party has prepared for Russia.

It provides for an imperial parliament and a diet for each province.

Each member of the imperial parliament is to represent 30,000 people and be elected by universal suffrage.

The Czar is to remain supreme head of the State.

# CHANGED.

## The Japs' Flags Are Waving.

### Port Arthur Now Well Fortified.

### The March to Moukden City Is Abandoned.

### Corean Affairs Are Being Handled With a Tight Rein.

YOKOHAMA, December 8 th (per steamer City of Peking, via San Francisco, December 22d).—General Oyama left Port Arthur December 1st, moving northward toward Min Chow, which he reached on the 2d.

A sufficient force was detached from the second army to occupy the fortifications.

Fifty-seven of the large caliber guns abandoned by the Chinese are serviceable and sixty-three of the smaller caliber are undergoing repairs by the Japanese artillery and will soon be put in order.

The harbor has been turned over to the navy.

The lower part of the Liao Tung peninsula is under the Japanese civil control, the natives gladly accepting the authority and protection of the conquerors.

Lines of telegraph are in course of extension along the eastern shore of the peninsula and complete connection with the headquarters of the first army at Kinslin is soon expected. General Oyama's movements indicate a purpose to march upon Ta Chow, a town half way between Kin Chow and New Chwang, but no definite announcement of his plans has been made public.

Although Wei Hai Wei lies virtually defenseless at the southern side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili no steps toward its occupation have yet been taken.

Chee Foo is in a state of utter demoralization so far as the local authorities are concerned.

When the fugitives from Port Arthur began to pour into town, accompanied by the panic stricken runaways from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese officers applied to the foreign Consuls to land forces from the ships of war to defend the place from the native soldiery.

THE PORT ARTHUR SCANDAL.

The report that numbers of Chinese were needlessly slaughtered at Port Arthur receives no denial.

The fact appears to be that the Japanese were inflamed to madness at the spectacle of their mutilated comrades, which was the first thing that met their eyes on the entrance of one of the principal fortifications.

In their onset upon the garrison at this point, they showed no mercy until their thirst for revenge was satisfied.

This is the story now current, but it should be stated that although not contradicted, it does not find place in any of the official records of events.

The latest intelligence from Kiu Lin wholly discredits the Chinese rumors of Japanese reverses at Maties.

The mountain passes in that region are numerous, and while the Japanese were advancing by one route an attempt was made by another to strike them in the rear.

It was of no avail and had no disturbing effect upon the invading columns, but the march to Moukden appears to have been dropped out of the Japanese programme.

SEOUL, December 6.—The energy with which Count Inouye develops his projects of reform has a startling effect upon the Korean court.

On December 4th he had a second interview with the King from which not only the Queen but also the entire royal family and the officers of the household were excluded.

The vacillating sovereign was made to understand that if the Secretary's plots for the return of the King were allowed to continue, the capital should be again occupied by Japanese troops and martial law proclaimed.

The King was informed that the Minister of the Interior had been directly concerned in fomenting the Tong Hak insurrections, and was advised to dispense with the services of that official.

Before the day ended the unfaithful Minister had resigned.

The Anarchists.

ROME, December 21.—Three newspapers were confiscated today for publishing proceedings of a meeting of the League of Liberty, an anarchistic society.

Numbers of taxpayers have decided to refuse to pay new taxes and will test the validity of the law.

The Hungarian Cabinet.

BUDA PESTH, December 22.—The Hungarian cabinet ministers have sent a special messenger to the Emperor, at Vienna, tendering their resignation. The decision of the Emperor will be announced Thursday next. M. Banffy is expected to form the new cabinet.

## ARMENIAN AFFAIRS.

### A Thorough Investigation Ordered by the Powers.

VIENNA, December 22.—Advices from Constantinople say the Porte objects to part of the instructions given the delegates of foreign powers who are to follow with the Armenian Commission.

The powers, however, with the exception of Germany, refuse to modify their instructions and it was understood Great Britain is determined to make an impartial inquiry into the stories told of the Turkish atrocities and will insist upon the punishment of the guilty persons.

In addition, should the present inquiry fail to be as thorough as Great Britain expects, she will demand the appointment of a fresh commission.

Will the next President come from the West? Dr. Price's Baking Powder is favorite in every Western State.

Safe in Port.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Arrived, Normania, from Hamburg; Lucania, from Liverpool.

GIBRALTAR, December 22.—Passed, Fulda, from New York for Genoa.

BREMERHAVEN, December 22.—Arrived, Wesser, from New York, via Southampton.

The Appelman Case.

WOODLAND, Cal., December 22.—Owing to the illness of Carroll Cook's wife, the disability of District Attorney Head and the absence of witnesses for the defense, the court ordered an adjournment on the Appelman case this morning until Thursday, December 27th.

# HOW HE DIED.

### Story of the Passing Away of R. L. Stevenson.

### The Call Found the Novelist Hard at Work.

### King Malietoa of Samoa Is Preparing to Be Married.

[*Special Correspondence to the Associated Press per Steamer "Arawa."*]

SAMOA, December 4.—Robert Louis Stevenson, the eminent novelist, died at his beautiful home Vailima on Monday last, December 2d, very suddenly.

He had been busy at work until 4 o'clock and had written what are said to be some of his finest passages and then left his work for dinner.

He had gone into the kitchen with his wife to prepare a favorite dish, and while there complained of a pain in the top of his head.

He returned to his drawing room and almost immediately fell back unconscious on a chair.

A physician was summoned, but his attendance was useless.

Stevenson never recovered consciousness and died at 8 o'clock the same evening.

The community was greatly shocked, and much regret was felt, although Stevenson had many opponents on account of his political views. Socially, he was highly esteemed.

When in good health, before his death, he had expressed a wish to be buried on the top of Vala Mountain, in a romantic spot 1100 feet above the sea level, known as "Traa Socala" (or Pigeon Catching Place of Socala). The interment took place there yesterday.

ISLAND MATTERS.

The rebels have declared their intention of making armed resistance to the Government, and are rebuilding the forts at Lotunanu, recently destroyed by the British and German warships. Everything indicates that serious trouble may be expected.

The Chief Justice, owing to the illness of his daughter, has gone to New Zealand for two months' vacation. The President, Herr Schmidt, is acting as Chief Justice, whereat much dissatisfaction is expressed.

Information having been received by the authorities of a shipment of ammunition sent from Europe to Samoa, the cargoes of all incoming vessels will be searched and any war materials found confiscated.

Kink Malietoa is about to marry a girl named Sucina, daughter of one of the most powerful chiefs here, with a wide connection. It is thought that this marriage will strengthen Malietoa's position.

The labor question is not more important than the pure food question. The latter can always be settled by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## LOST HIS REASON.

### A Double Murder Was Too Much for an Attorney to Witness.

QUINCY, Ill., December 21.—Frank Trumbull, the attorney, who was present in the Council Bluffs Bank, when Clerk Huntington shot two detectives and himself, has become insane, the attack striking him at Newcomb Hotel, en route to his old home at Keokuk. It is thought that his mind was shattered by the scene at the bank.

The Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, December 22.—The weekly bank statement is: Reserve, increase $554,850; loans, decrease, $80,695,100; specie, increase, $6,551,100; legal tenders, decrease, $8,569,000; deposits, decrease, $1,294,200; circulation, increase, $36,200. The banks now hold $33,900,675 in excess of the legal requirements.

# TRAPPED.

## Royalists Headed Off Again.

### A Plot to Restore the Queen.

### Guns and Ammunition Found in Their Houses.

### The Provisional Government Is Hard to Kill Off Now.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The following special advices to the Associated Press arrived this morning on the steamer Arawa:

HONOLULU, December 14.—10 A. M.—The talk of the town this week is the unearthing of an alleged Royalist conspiracy.

Saturday evening last the police went to the house of John E. Bush and arrested him and E. C. Crick on a charge of conspiracy against the Government.

Upon searching the house seven rifles were found.

Soon after being lodged in jail Joseph Nawahi, a native lawyer, called to see them and was arrested on the same charge.

About midnight W. F. Weed and Emil Klemme were also arrested, the former as an accessory to the conspiracy and the latter for having arms in his possession unlawfully.

Several houses of suspects were searched on Sunday, but no arms were found.

Monday a thorough search of the house occupied by Crick brought to light four rifles, two pistols and 150 rounds of ammunition, all of which were concealed under the floor.

The prisoners are confined in separate cells and will be examined on Monday next, bail being refused in the meantime.

Bush has been publishing a small sheet daily in native and English in which he has been scoring the present Government and assuring the natives that the Queen would surely be restored.

Crick is an English chemist and was implicated in the alleged Walker-Sinclair conspiracy of a year ago.

After his arrest he appealed to British Commissioner Hawes for protection, but was told that nothing could be done for him.

Government officials are very reticent about the case, but claim to have abundant evidence to convict the principal conspirators.

SMUGGLERS TRIPPED UP.

Ninety pounds of opium, which came on the last Australian steamer was captured by the customs officials.

It was dropped overboard into a skiff concealed under the wharf and then buried.

The parties who owned the drug received information that Gilsey, the man to whom it had been delivered, intended to appropriate the whole, and rather than let him get away with it they gave the whole thing away. Gilsey pleaded guilty in the District Court and was sentenced to six months in jail and $250 fine.

GENERAL NOTES.

Chief Crowley is still here and has had some talk with Government officials in regard to the transfer of San Francisco lepers to Molokai, but nothing has been settled yet. The proposition is regarded with general disfavor here. The Chief will likely leave here by the China on the 31st inst.

There have been several shocks of earthquake on the island of Hawaii, and one on this island during the past week. The volcano of Kilauea is more active than ever, and some old settlers predict an overflow as the result of the earthquakes.

Captain John C. Biel, of the German bark Paul Isenberg, died suddenly yesterday morning. A coroner's jury found that the death resulted from an overdose of laudanum but there are suspicions that he met with foul play as he had trouble with his crew on the voyage to Germany.

Captain Perkins, well known in Honolulu and San Francisco shipping circles, was lost off the Arawa on the night of the 7th inst. He had recently purchased the condemned bark Elsinore, it seems to have been a clear case of suicide, as the sea was perfectly calm at the time.

Robert Louis Stevenson died at his home in Samoa on Sunday, December 2d. His death was very sudden, but no particulars are given. He was buried on a hill at the back of his residence.

Who Lost Carpenters' Tools?

The police want owners for a kit of carpenter's tools found in possession of Charles Miller, who was arrested by Officer Carson yesterday for vagrancy. The wooden handles of the tools are marked with the initials "D." and "D. T. E."

## THE WHIST GAMES.

### Result of the Tournament at the Acme Club.

The final results of the whist tournament have at last been obtained.

Weston and Champion won the first prize, Bernett and Wright won the second prize and Jacobus and Weber won the booby prize.

The schedule of the games is as follows:

| NAMES OF PLAYERS. | Played | Won | Lost | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Weston & Champion | 48 | 32 | 16 | .66 2-3 |
| Bernett & Wright | 48 | 31 | 17 | .64 7-12 |
| Williamson & Mullen | 45 | 32 | 13 | .64 1-9 |
| Humphreys & Rogers | 45 | 27 | 18 | .60 |
| Brottlet & Cowell | 45 | 26 | 19 | .57 7-9 |
| Selna & Voorhies | 45 | 25 | 20 | .55 5-9 |
| Simon & Champion | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Swain & Van Haltren | 45 | 24 | 21 | .53 1-3 |
| Parsons & Ruppert | 45 | 23 | 22 | .51 1-9 |
| Slattery & Hamilton | 45 | 22 | 23 | .48 8-9 |
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A Last Chance.

TOPEKA, December 22.—In connection with the hunt for the murderer of Mrs. Matson, it has been decided to photograph the victim's eyes as possibly a means of finding a clue.

# SEVEN WARDS.

### A New Arrangement Proposed for Berkeley.

### How the Town Officers Are to Be Selected.

### The Board of Freeholders Busy on the New Charter.

The Board of Freeholders selected to prepare a new charter for Berkeley have so far decided on the following:

The town is to be divided into seven wards. Each ward is to be represented on the Board of Trustees by one member. The Board of Education will also be composed of seven members, each representing a ward. The Trustees and members of the Board of Education will be voted for by the electors of their respective wards, solely.

The officers of the town will be an Assessor, Marshal, Clerk and Treasurer, to be voted for by a general ballot.

Those members of the boards of trustees and education who represent even numbered wards shall hold office for four years.

The representatives of the odd-numbered wards shall be elected for two years.

The Attorney, Superintendent of Streets and Engineer shall be elected by the Board of Trustees, and hold office at its discretion.

No compensation is to be received by any member of the Board of Trustees, except the president, who as *ex-officio* Auditor, shall receive a sum fixed at the pleasure of the board.

A PLEASURE

Given is doubly enjoyed, by the one who gives sometimes more than the receiver. What pleasure is greater than to see the ones we love happy. The glad season of Christmas is here; let us try to have all the dear ones remembered, if not with an article of great value, some little token that we may enjoy their pleasure.

Our Books
Are selected with a view to suit all wants.
Single Volumes, - from 20c to $10
Sets of Fiction, History, Etc. - - - - 75c to $35
Children's Books - 5c to $1
A choice lot of illustrated paper covers.

Framed Pictures
Are in great variety and at all prices
White and Gold, Silver, Oak, Bronze Moldings.

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The department is overflowing with novelties and bargains of every kind
Purses and Card Cases (Silver mounted), from - - - $1.20 to $10
Writing Desks and Tablets - - - 75c to $12.50
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Building Blocks,
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# HEARTY.

## Liberal Donations Coming In.

### Many a Home Will Be Made Glad.

### Everybody Who Can Should Send a Donation.

### Send in Your Gifts to "The Tribune" Relief Bureau.

Monday next the goods contributed to THE TRIBUNE Christmas Relief Bureau for the assistance of the poor will be distributed.

The donations consist of flour, cornmeal, coal, coke, groceries, clothing and toys.

They are not numerous enough, however, to satisfy the needs of one-tenth of the poor people who have made application for relief.

They will be made to go as far, however, as possible, and will be distributed with a great deal of care.

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S. F., Cal.

# MEYER'S MISS.

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However, Meyer had security for the note in the shape of forty bonds of the Piedmont company, valued at $1000 each. It was supposed that these bonds were amply sufficient to cover the note in case of default.

Meyer got tired of waiting for his money, and so he commenced a suit against the Howes and Mrs. Blair to recover the full amount on the promissory note. The defendants had no defense to make, for the note spoke for itself. This morning the case was called for trial in the Superior Court, and Meyer told his story of how he had parted with his money and got the forty bonds. He was given a judgment against the defendants for $32,840 83.

The bonds that are in his possession are now to be sold. It has been stipulated that in case Meyer buys the bonds in at the sale he shall pay a sum aggregating not less than $20,000. This stipulation would indicate that the parties in control of the road believe that the bonds have depreciated just one-half in value.

"It makes my housework much easier" writes a St. Louis housewife of Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## A SPLENDID DISPLAY.

### Fred Becker's Enterprise at His Big Meat Establishment.

One of the finest holiday displays in the city is made by Fred Becker at the Grand Central Market, on Washington street, between Eighth and Ninth. It is a display of dressed carcasses and prepared meats, which is claimed to be, in many of its more important features, unequaled this Christmas season by any other meat establishment in the United States. It is certainly an artistic in its make-up as it is gigantic in proportions, and it is honestly entitled to the unreserved admiration which it is drawing from the multitudes constantly inspecting it.

The display embraces the dressed carcasses of 157 horned cattle, which have been fattened on the best of provender, the heaviest turning the scales at 1100 pounds; 300 sheep, 150 lambs, 100 hogs and 125 suckling pigs. Some of the cattle have been put into service to furnish one of the novelties of the exhibition, namely, a harnessed team of six hitched to a miniature butcher wagon, and a suitable teamster for it.

The legend of the Grand Central Meat Market is imprinted on some of the mammoth carcasses that adorn the exterior of the establishment, and is self-explanatory; it reads thus: "Becker leads; all others follow."

A glance at the long rows of dressed quarters of fat beeves, carcasses of pork and mutton, and the great piles of cured and cooked meats, supplemented by the steady stream of incoming and outgoing patrons, is ample verification of the truth of the legend, "Becker undoubtedly does lead, and all others must of necessity follow."

One interesting fact associated with the display is that everything is home product. The Grand Central Meat Market is a hive of industry, and every part of the hive is open to public inspection. The cold-storage rooms, the cooking and trying vats, the packing houses, the engine and boiler rooms and machine shops and the electric light motor department, are all in the basement below, and are models of cleanliness. There can be no doubts lurking in the mind of any one concerning the condition of any article of food sold on the counters in the great store above, after a thorough inspection of the premises below.

Mr. Becker employs forty-six men on the premises and his weekly payroll foots up over $700, and and everything connected with its management comes under his personal supervision.

One of the interesting features connected with the display is an electric fountain, a facsimile of that which delighted the multitude at the Midwinter Fair. This fountain will be in full play this evening, and the crowds that will undoubtedly flock to the market will be entertained likewise by a brass band. It was intended to have had the band playing last night, but the storm forced a postponement until tonight.

**Another Bicycle Thief.**

Charles Atkinson, who claims to room on Franklin street, hired a wheel from George Faulkner this afternoon. He immediately came down town, and after in vain attempting to sell the wheel to Billy Kehler, was arrested by Officer Carson and booked at the City Prison on a charge of grand larceny.

NEW PIANOS $175 AT SHERMAN & CLAY'S, 13th & Broadway

# TO INVESTIGATE.

## Collector Wise's Case Before the Commissioner.

### Much Work Is Accumulating in Congress.

### A Number of Suits Started Against the Income Tax.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The denial of Collector Wise of San Francisco of the charges of violation of the Civil Service law was shown to Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt today.

Roosevelt said: "The charges were filed with the commissioner some time ago, and will be given a thorough investigation before the commissioner can tell whether or not they have any foundation. The charges are not as grave in the case of Collector Wise as are those in the cases of certain other officials which the commission intends to investigate in the immediate future.

### THE SENATE.

#### Senator George Objects to the Holiday Recess.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Senator George (Miss.), has objected to the resolution for the holiday adjournment, which, as the Senate is without a quorum, may prevent the usual holiday recess.

In his speech George said it was not his purpose to annoy the Senators, but simply to have a fair expression on the question of delaying or facilitating business.

If the Senate adopted the resolution a third of the session would have expired before a single appropriation had passed.

At the conclusion of his speech Senator George asked that the adjournment resolution go over until Monday, which caused debate.

At 12:30 George took the floor and withdrew his objection to the adjournment resolution, which was passed without objection.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations:

Charles H. Mansur of Missouri, Assistant Comptroller of the Treasury.

Marshall Peter of Petersburg, Ind., Indian Agent, Klamath Agency, Oregon.

Thomas B. Teter of West Virginia, Indian Agent, Fort Hall Agency, Idaho.

### THE HOUSE.

#### Members Still Talking on the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—There were but a few members on the floor when the House convened this morning.

A few bills were passed by unanimous consent.

One was passed on the motion of Doolittle, Washington, to grant American Registry to the barks Linda of North Carolina, and Archer, Washington.

The debate on the currency bill was then resumed.

### TACKLING THE TAX

#### Grover's Income Bill Will Go Into the Courts.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Today Jeremiah Wilson, counsel for John G. Moore of the New York banking firm of Moore & Schley, applied to Judge Cole of the equity branch of the Supreme Court, District of Columbia, for an order restraining John S. Miller, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, from assessing and collecting the tax upon his income.

This is only one of a number of legal attacks which will soon be made upon the income tax.

Each suit will be based on different grounds.

# MASONS MOURN.

## The Square and Compass at the Graveside.

### Funeral of M. W. Murry at Mountain View.

### Oriental Lodge of San Francisco Conducted the Services.

The funeral of the late M. W. Murry took place this afternoon from the family home, on the corner of Lake and Jackson streets.

The funeral was held under the auspices of Oriental Lodge, No. 141, Free and Accepted Masons of San Francisco, of which the deceased was a member.

The remains of the deceased reposed in a handsome casket in the spacious parlor of the house. The bier was surrounded by many handsome floral pieces sent as tokens of esteem by friends of the deceased.

At 2 o'clock the services were held by the Masons at the house. The officers in charge of the services were: Charles Bone, worshipful master; Frank Bacon Ladd, senior warden; Edward Bentley Church, junior warden; George Howard Thompson, treasurer; Adolphus Skinner Hubbard, secretary; James Hargraves Wallace, marshal; William Rheinhard Jost, senior deacon, William Fletcher Empey, junior deacon, and Robert Boyes, and Francis E. Bridges, stewards.

The worshipful master read the Masonic service after which a quartet composed of Ben Clark, J. R. Ogilvie, J. O. Low, and J. R. Jones rendered some music.

After the services the casket was carried from the house by the pall bearers, consisting of John Tonningsen, H. L. Read, G. H. Wallace, C. S. Crittenden, C. W. Wright and E. C. Bower.

The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery. The services at the grave were conducted by the Masons.

Albert Brown had charge of the funeral arrangements.

# SNOW SHOVELS.

## Men Are Being Paid $1 50 an Hour.

### Labor in Great Demand on the Railroad.

### A Number of Buildings Are Crushed in at Sisson.

SISSON, Cal., December 22.—The snow that fell during the last few days measures ninety-six inches.

The road between this place and Dunsmuir is completely blockaded.

The rotary snow-plow from Dunsmuir broke down five miles north of this place this morning at 4 o'clock.

The Methodist Church fell in yesterday morning, and was followed by Bowler's livery stable, the Siskiyou Lumber and Mercantile Company's slaughter house, the Mount Shasta Manufacturing Company's warehouse, and a building belonging to the Pioneer Box Factory.

Numerous other small buildings have succumbed to the heavy snow.

Snow shovelers are in demand and are paid $1 50 per hour.

It is thought that the train will be got through today.

DROWNED IN THE FLOOD.

STOCKTON, Cal., December 22.—William Sievers 66 years of age, and an old resident, was drowned last night on the road to the lower French Camp, south of this city.

He was driving to his chicken ranch. The high water from a small stream had washed out a portion of the road, and in the dark, the old man drove into the break. His wagon was over turned and he was drowned.

The buggy was found this morning.

# A LANDSLIDE.

## Traffic Blockaded on the Santa Cruz Line.

### Thousands of Tons of Earth Give Way.

### The Accident Happened Close to the Surf City.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SANTA CRUZ, Cal, December 22.—A huge landslide, carrying thousands of tons of earth, tore down on the track of the narrow gauge railroad at Rincon early this morning.

The track for a quarter of a mile was covered to a depth of several feet by the debris.

A large force of men was at once dispatched to the scene.

Freight train No. 12, which left Santa Cruz at 6 o'clock, and passenger train No. 1 which left at 7:45 o'clock carrying the pay car, were unable to proceed and were sent back to Santa Cruz. Both trains were bound for Oakland.

Train No. 1, which left Oakland this morning, was also halted until the debris was removed.

No damage has been done the track.

Rincon is a small station four miles from Santa Cruz.

ALL RIGHT NOW.

2:30 P. M.—The blockade has been removed, and the trains are proceeding on their way.

### CHARMING CLOAKS.

#### Every Lady Should Visit the Palace Store.

There is nothing which so adds to the appearance of a lady on the streets as a tasty, beautiful, stylish and becoming cape, cloak or mantle, which is in keeping with the lady's means and the season. The fact is appreciated by the ladies of Oakland, and adds immeasurably to the reputation which they enjoy as having the most discriminating of tastes. The only house in this city which can enable the ladies to indulge this propensity is the Palace Cloak Store, 1009 and 1011 Washington street.

This house enjoys the patronage of the most exclusive circles, and indeed of every lady who desires to be fashionably cloaked or mantled. It has the largest and richest stock of imported and domestic fur capes on the coast. The Palace Cloak Company is the agent for the Arctic Fur Company, which gives an advantage enjoyed by no others in this section. The establishment is attracting hundreds of customers and is especially doing a large business during these holidays.

*Auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 125 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

### DAINTY AND CHEAP.

#### Splendid Goods at the California Furniture Store.

There are hundreds of people visiting San Francisco from this city every day and evening during this joyous period.

They go there to see the sights and make purchases when available.

But there is no store or emporium in the metropolis which attracts more attention than that of the California Furniture Company, 117 and 123 Geary street. The display is most attractive and the goods are of a style of richness and elegance never equaled in San Francisco. The daintiest ideas in furniture which have ever been suggested are worked out in the marvelous display of this celebrated company. Hundreds of sales are taking place by night and day and out of respect to the demand of their patrons the California Furniture Company will keep their great store open every night until after the holidays.

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#### Choice Furniture Stock at Zeller & Arps.

The greatest holiday trade ever done in the furniture line in this city is being done by the Empire Furniture Company, the proprietors of which are Zeller & Arps, 1050 Broadway, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

This enterprising firm, not cost at with having one of the largest and most complete furniture stocks in the Western country, which they are selling off with amazing rapidity at the lowest prices, have stocked their house with a variety of goods in the furniture line suitable for holiday presents. These include desks, lamp tables, beautiful rockers, easy chairs, beautiful book stands and an indefinite variety of other goods which will be appreciated by every recipient.

Besides, their bedroom suits for $20, $25 and $30 of oak, which are highly carved and finished, are going with a rush, and the purchasers, in some instances, say they intend them as Christmas presents for their children, and, in other cases, they are given by children to their parents.

No matter what it is that may be needed in the furniture line it can be found at Zeller & Arps' in profusion, and at the lowest prices.

**See What Snaps**

You can get for Xmas in jewelry, diamonds and watches, and on such easy terms that you will not feel the expenses. See our stock. M. M. Heinemen, room 26, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

**A New Trial for Mrs. Worthington**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The State Supreme Court this morning granted a new trial to Mrs. Worthington, the wife of a local newspaper artist, who is now serving a twenty year term in San Quentin Penitentiary for the murder of Harry Baldleigh, whom she shot over a year ago.

*Christmas Presents at auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 125 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

We received 100 fur capes, worth $8 50, now offered at $4 50. Palace Cloak Company, 1009-1011 Washington street.

**A Handsome Present.**

A case of assorted sweet wine for $3 50, at Hirschler & Co., 18 Market street, San Francisco.

When in doubt as to what to give for Christmas, drop into Hirschler & Co., liquor merchants, 18 Market street, San Francisco, who can suit the taste of the most fastidious.

Full assortment of Holiday Neckties and Fancy Silk Suspenders, Silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, etc., at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

**Free Market Open Monday.**

The Oakland Free Market, Fourth, Fifth, Clay and Washington streets, will be open Monday, December 24th.

Keep Warmers, or Ulsters for $8 50, worth $15. J. T. Moran, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

DIED.

BROWN—In this city, December 20, 1894, Julia S., wife of E. V. Brown and mother of Mrs. C. H. King, a native of Bowling Green, Kentucky, aged 17 years and 8 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, December 23d, at 1 o'clock P. M., from the residence of C. H. King, 1023 Sixth avenue, East Oakland. Interment private.

MARRIED.

BILGER—SIEBE—In this city, December 18, 1894, by Rev. A. Jatho, Frank William Bilger of San Leandro and Carrie T. Siebe of Oakland.


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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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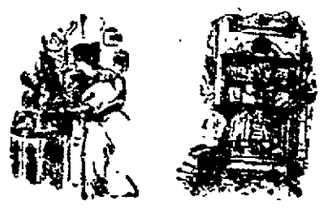

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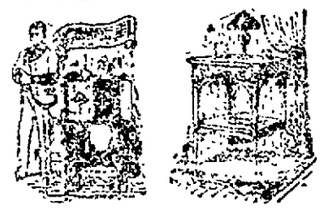

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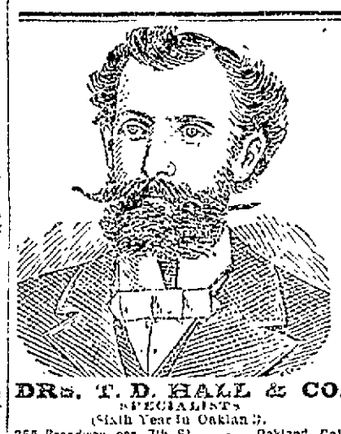

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THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all time accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895. A. E. D. GRATIAN, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895. C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895. GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.


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Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.
W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.
C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.
E. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.
Oakland, December 21, 1894.


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In May, 1891, the Piedmont road was in pretty good shape and Meyer thought that it was a fair investment. Montgomery Howe, Samuel Howe and Phebe A. Blair went to him to negotiate a loan of $30,000. The financier told them to draw up their promissory note and put up the necessary securities and he would advance the money.

On May 15, 1891, a note for $30,000 was drawn up and signed by the Howes and Mrs. Blair. The note was made payable in eight months, with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum. From the time that note was drawn, the Piedmont road went on the down grade and kept on going until it landed in the hands of a receiver.

However, Meyer had security for the note in the shape of forty bonds of the Piedmont company, valued at $1000 each. It was supposed that these bonds were amply sufficient to cover the note in case of default.

Meyer got tired of waiting for his money, and so he commenced a suit against the Howes and Mrs. Blair to recover the full amount on the promissory note. The defendants had no defense to make, for the note spoke for itself. This morning the case was called for trial in the Superior Court, and Meyer told his story of how he had parted with his money and got the forty bonds. He was given a judgment against the defendants for $32,840 83.

The bonds that are in his possession are now to be sold. It has been stipulated that in case Meyer buys the bonds in at the sale he shall pay a sum aggregating not less than $20,000. This stipulation would indicate that the parties in control of the road believe that the bonds have depreciated just one-half in value.

"It makes my housework much easier" writes a St. Louis housewife of Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## A SPLENDID DISPLAY.

### Fred Becker's Enterprise at His Big Meat Establishment.

One of the finest holiday displays in the city is made by Fred Becker at the Grand Central Market, on Washington street, between Eighth and Ninth. It is a display of dressed carcasses and prepared meats, which is claimed to be, in many of its more important features, unequaled this Christmas season by any other meat establishment in the United States. It is certainly an artistic in its make-up as it is gigantic in proportions, and it is honestly entitled to the unreserved admiration which it is drawing from the multitudes constantly inspecting it.

The display embraces the dressed carcasses of 157 horned cattle, which have been fattened on the best of provender, the heaviest turning the scales at 1100 pounds; 300 sheep, 150 lambs, 100 hogs and 125 suckling pigs. Some of the cattle have been put into service to furnish one of the novelties of the exhibition, namely, a harnessed team of six hitched to a miniature butcher wagon, and a suitable teamster for it.

The legend of the Grand Central Meat Market is imprinted on some of the mammoth carcasses that adorn the exterior of the establishment, and is self-explanatory; it reads thus: "Becker leads; all others follow."

A glance at the long rows of dressed quarters of fat beeves, carcasses of pork and mutton, and the great piles of cured and cooked meats, supplemented by the steady stream of incoming and outgoing patrons, is ample verification of the truth of the legend, "Becker undoubtedly does lead, and all others must of necessity follow."

One interesting fact associated with the display is that everything is home product. The Grand Central Meat Market is a hive of industry, and every part of the hive is open to public inspection. The cold-storage rooms, the cooking and trying vats, the packing houses, the engine and boiler rooms and machine shops and the electric light motor department, are all in the basement below, and are models of cleanliness. There can be no doubt lurking in the mind of any one concerning the condition of any article of food sold on the counters in the great store above, after a thorough inspection of the premises below.

Mr. Becker employs forty-six men on the premises and his weekly payroll foots up over $700, and and everything connected with its management comes under his personal supervision.

One of the interesting features connected with the display is an electric fountain, a fac-simile of that which delighted the multitude at the Midwinter Fair. This fountain will be in full play this evening, and the crowds that will undoubtedly flock to the market will be entertained likewise by a brass band. It was intended to have had the band playing last night, but the storm forced a postponement until tonight.

**Another Bicycle Thief.**

Charles Atkinson, who claims to room on Franklin street, hired a wheel from George Faulkner this afternoon. He immediately came down town, and after in vain attempting to sell the wheel to Billy Kebler, was arrested by Officer Carson and booked at the City Prison on a charge of grand larceny.

NEW PIANOS $175
AT SHERMAN & CLAY'S,
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# TO INVESTIGATE.

## Collector Wise's Case Before the Commissioner.

### Much Work Is Accumulating in Congress.

### A Number of Suits Started Against the Income Tax.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The denial of Collector Wise of San Francisco of the charges of violation of the Civil Service law was shown to Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt today.

Roosevelt said: "The charges were filed with the commissioner some time ago, and will be given a thorough investigation before the commissioner can tell whether or not they have any foundation. The charges are not as grave in the case of Collector Wise as are those in the cases of certain other officials which the commission intends to investigate in the immediate future.

## THE SENATE.

### Senator George Objects to the Holiday Recess.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Senator George (Miss.), has objected to the resolution for the holiday adjournment, which, as the Senate is without a quorum, may prevent the usual holiday recess.

In his speech George said it was not his purpose to annoy the Senators, but simply to have a fair expression on the question of delaying or facilitating business.

If the Senate adopted the resolution a third of the session would have expired before a single appropriation had passed.

At the conclusion of his speech Senator George asked that the adjournment resolution go over until Monday, which led to a brief debate.

At 12:10 George took the floor and withdrew his objection to the adjournment resolution, which was passed without objection.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations:

Charles H. Mansur of Missouri, Assistant Comptroller of the Treasury.

Marshall Peter of Petersburg, Ind., Indian Agent, Klamath Agency, Oregon.

Thomas B. Peter of West Virginia, Indian Agent, Fort Hall Agency, Idaho.

## THE HOUSE.

### Members Still Talking on the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—There were but a few members on the floor when the House convened this morning.

A few bills were passed by unanimous consent.

One was passed on the motion of Doolittle, Washington, to grant American Registry to the barks Linda of North Carolina, and Archer, Washington.

The debate on the currency bill was then resumed.

## TACKLING THE TAX.

### Grover's Income Bill Will Go Into the Courts.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Today Jeremiah Wilson, counsel for John G. Moore of the New York banking firm of Moore & Schley, applied to Judge Cole of the equity branch of the Supreme Court, District of Columbia, for an order restraining John S. Miller, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, from assessing and collecting the tax upon his income.

This is only one of a number of legal attacks which will soon be made upon the income tax.

Each suit will be based on different grounds.

# MASONS MOURN.

## The Square and Compass at the Graveside.

### Funeral of M. W. Murry at Mountain View.

### Oriental Lodge of San Francisco Conducted the Services.

The funeral of the late M. W. Murry took place this afternoon from the family home, on the corner of Lake and Jackson streets.

The funeral was held under the auspices of Oriental Lodge, No. 144, Free and Accepted Masons of San Francisco, of which the deceased was a member.

The remains of the deceased reposed in a handsome casket in the spacious parlor of the house. The bier was surrounded by many handsome floral pieces sent as tokens of esteem by friends of the deceased.

At 2 o'clock the services were held by the Masons at the house. The officers in charge of the services were: Charles Bone, worshipful master; Frank Bacon Ladd, senior warden; Edward Bentley Church, junior warden; George Howard Thompson, treasurer; Adolphus Skinner Hubbard, secretary; James Hargraves Wallace, marshal; William Rheinhard Jost, senior deacon, William Fletcher Eupey, junior deacon, and Robert Boyes, and Francis E. Bridges, stewards.

The worshipful master read the Masonic service after which a quartet composed of Ben Clark, J. R. Ogilvie, J. O. Low, and J. R. Jones rendered some music.

After the services the casket was carried from the house by the pall bearers, consisting of John Toninigsen, H. L. Read, G. H. Wallace, C. S. Crittenden, C. W. Wright and E. C. Bower.

The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery. The services at the grave were conducted by the Masons.

Albert Brown had charge of the funeral arrangements.

# SNOW SHOVELS.

## Men Are Being Paid $1 50 an Hour.

### Labor in Great Demand on the Railroad.

### A Number of Buildings Are Crushed in at Sisson.

SISSON, Cal., December 22.—The snow that fell during the last few days measures ninety-six inches.

The road between this place and Dunsmuir is completely blockaded.

The rotary snow-plow from Dunsmuir broke down five miles north of this place this morning at 4 o'clock.

The Methodist Church fell in yesterday morning, and was followed by Bowler's livery stable, the Siskiyou Lumber and Mercantile Company's slaughter house, the Mount Shasta Manufacturing Company's warehouse, and a building belonging to the Pioneer Box Factory.

Numerous other small buildings have succumbed to the heavy snow.

Snow shovelers are in demand and are paid $1 50 per hour.

It is thought that the train will be got through today.

DROWNED IN THE FLOOD.

STOCKTON, Cal., December 22.—William Sievers, 65 years of age, and an old resident, was drowned last night on the road to the lower French Camp, south of this city.

He was driving to his chicken ranch. The high water from a small stream had washed out a portion of the road, and in the dark, the old man drove into the break. His wagon was over turned and he was drowned.

The buggy was found this morning.

# A LANDSLIDE.

## Traffic Blockaded on the Santa Cruz Line.

### Thousands of Tons of Earth Give Way.

### The Accident Happened Close to the Surf City.

*Special to The Tribune.*

SANTA CRUZ, Cal, December 22.—A huge landslide, carrying thousands of tons of earth, tore down on the track of the narrow gauge railroad at Rincon early this morning.

The track for a quarter of a mile was covered to a depth of several feet by the debris.

A large force of men was at once dispatched to the scene.

Freight train No. 12, which left Santa Cruz at 6 o'clock, and passenger train No. 4, which left at 7:45 o'clock carrying the pay car, were unable to proceed and were sent back to Santa Cruz. Both trains were bound for Oakland.

Train No. 1, which left Oakland this morning, was also halted until the debris was removed.

No damage has been done the track.

Rincon is a small station four miles from Santa Cruz.

ALL RIGHT NOW.

2:30 P. M.—The blockade has been removed, and the trains are proceeding on their way.

## CHARMING CLOAKS.

### Every Lady Should Visit the Palace Store.

There is nothing which so adds to the appearance of a lady on the streets as a tasty, beautiful, stylish and becoming cape, cloak or mantle, which is in keeping with the lady's means and the season. The fact is appreciated by the ladies of Oakland, and adds immeasurably to the reputation which they enjoy as having the most discriminating of tastes. The only house in this city which can enable the ladies to indulge this propensity is the Palace Cloak Store, 1009 and 1011 Washington street.

This house enjoys the patronage of the most exclusive circles, and indeed of every lady who desires to be fashionably cloaked or mantled. It has the largest and richest stock of imported and domestic fur capes on the coast. The Palace Cloak Company is the agent for the Arctic Fur Company, which gives an advantage enjoyed by no others in this section. The establishment is attracting hundreds of customers and is especially doing a large business during these holidays.

*Auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 1225 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

## DAINTY AND CHEAP.

### Splendid Goods at the California Furniture Store.

There are hundreds of people visiting San Francisco from this city every day and evening during this joyous period.

They go there to see the sights and make purchases when available.

But there is no store or emporium in the metropolis which attracts more attention than that of the California Furniture Company, 117 and 123 Geary street. The display is most attractive and the goods are of a style of richness and elegance never equaled in San Francisco. The daintiest ideas in furniture which have ever been suggested are worked out in the marvelous display of this celebrated company. Hundreds of sales are taking place by night and day and out of respect to the demand of their patrons the California Furniture Company will keep their great store open every night until after the holidays.

Call and see our wool seal capes, in all lengths, at Palace Cloak Company, 1009 and 1011 Washington street.

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## ALL KINDS KEPT.

### Choice Furniture Stock at Zeller & Arps.

The greatest holiday trade ever done in the furniture line in this city is being done by the Empire Furniture Company, the proprietors of which are Zeller & Arps, 1060 Broadway, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

This enterprising firm, not content with having one of the largest and most complete furniture stocks in the Western country, which they are selling off with amazing rapidity at the lowest prices, have stocked their house with a variety of goods in the furniture line suitable for holiday presents. These include desks, fancy tables, beautiful rockers, easy chairs, beautiful book stands and an indefinite variety of other goods which will be appreciated by every recipient.

Besides, their bedroom suits for $20, $25 and $30 of oak, which are highly carved and finished, are going with a rush, and the purchasers, in some instances, say they intend them as Christmas presents for their children, and, in other cases, they are given by children to their parents.

No matter what it is that may be needed in the furniture line it can be found at Zeller & Arps' in profusion, and at the lowest prices.

**See What Samps**

You can get for Xmas in jewelry, diamonds and watches, and on such easy terms that you will not feel the expenses. See our stock. M. M. Heinoman, room 26, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

**A New Trial for Mrs. Worthington**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The State Supreme Court this morning granted a new trial to Mrs. Worthington, the wife of a local newspaper artist, who is now serving a twenty year term in San Quentin Penitentiary for the murder of Harry Baddleigh, whom she shot over a year ago.

*Christmas Presents at auction tonight at Japanese Bazaar, 1225 Broadway. J. L. Lyon, Auctioneer.*

We received 100 fur capes, worth $6 50, now offered at $4 50. Palace Cloak Company, 1009-1011 Washington street.

**A Handsome Present.**

A case of assorted sweet wine for $3 50, at Hirschler & Co., 18 Market street, San Francisco.

When in doubt as to what to give for Christmas, drop into Hirschler & Co., liquor merchants, 18 Market street, San Francisco, who can suit the taste of the most fastidious.

Full assortment of Holiday Neckties and Fancy Silk Suspenders, Silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, etc., at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

**Free Market Open Monday.**

The Oakland Free Market, Fourth, Fifth, Clay and Washington streets, will be open Monday, December 24th.

Keep Warmers, or Ulsters for $8 50, worth $12. J. T. Moran, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

DIED.

BROWN—In this city, December 20, 1894, Julia S., wife of E. V. Brown and mother of Mrs. C. H. King, a native of Bowling Green, Kentucky, aged 67 years and 8 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, December 23d, at 1 o'clock P. M., from the residence of C. H. King, 1929 Sixth avenue, East Oakland. Interment private.

MARRIED.

BILGER—SIEBE—In this city, December 18, 1894, by Rev. A. Jutho, Frank William Bilger of San Leandro and Carrie T. Siebe of Oakland.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.
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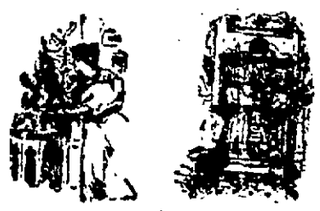

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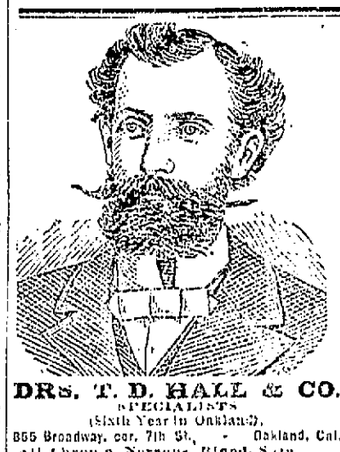

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all time accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.
C. E. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2d, 1895.
GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.

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**Stockholders' Annual Meeting.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.
W. G. PALMANTIER, Vice-President.
C. E. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.
E. P. GUTRAM, Secretary.
Oakland, December 21, 1894.

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The building externally, together with the mound, is attractive; interiorly the woodwork is of solid and carved walnut, the mantles of purest Italian marble and design, and the wall decoration with exquisite frescoes.
The Hospital Section, comprising Surgical, Medical and convalescent Wards, is separated from the section for invalids, each department being provided with special corridors, bathrooms, electrical appliances. Dr. Louis Wagner's hot air treatment for diseases of the lungs, etc.
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## Christmas Carols in Church.

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The Christmas services at the churches this year will be unusually good, as will be seen by some of the musical programmes given herewith:

**First Congregational Church,**

EVENING SERVICE.

Organ prelude, grand chorus in D.......... ..........Alex Guilmant
Responsive Scripture ..........
Congregation standing.
Congregational hymn, No. 65 in Hymnal...
Chorus..........Oliver King
Offertory, tenor solo .......... A. Tolotti
Congregational hymn, 216 Select Songs....
Congregation standing.
Tenor solo, *Messiah*..........
Isaiah xl.
Haggai ii.
Alto solo, *Messiah*..........
Isaiah ix.
Chorus..........Field
Luke ii.
Soprano solo and double quartet...Dudley Buck
Luke ii:15.
Quartet and chorus, "Holy Night"........Enes
Hymn, 173 Select Songs..........Mendelssohn
Congregation standing.
Soprano solo, duet, quartet and chorus..Shelley
Matthew ii.
Bass solo and chorus..........Shelley
Isaiah xxxii.
Chorus..........Stephen Adams
"The Star That Led to God"..........
St. John xiv:2.
Oratorio, "Du Noel"..........C. Saint-Saens
Postlude, "March for a Church Festival"..........W. T. Best
Benediction.

**First Presbyterian Church,**

MORNING SERVICE 10:30 A. M.

Organ prelude—(a) Pastorale / (b) Finale (From Sonata in D Minor)..........Guilmant
Doxology, "Old Hundredth"..........
Te Deum, Festival in D..........Dudley Buck
Reading of the Scripture.
"The First Christmas" (a Carol Anthem)
(a) The Annunciation..........
(b) The Message of the Shepherds
(c) Cradle Song of the Virgin..........
(d) Gloria in Excelsis..........
..........Joseph Barnby
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Cantique de Noel"..........Adolph Adam
Reading of the Scripture.
Hymn No. 320, "Herald Angels"....Mendelssohn
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Manger Cradle"..........W. R. Neidlinger
Notices.
Offering.
Contralto Solo, "Lullaby"..........C. E. Osgood
The Sermon.
Hymn No. 231, "Adeste Fidelis"....John Reading
Special Notice.
"Gloria in Excelsis" (Messe Solennelle)
..........Charles Gounod
Benediction.
Organ postlude, "Finale"..........Lemmens

EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Organ prelude, "Grand Offertory in D"...Batiste
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" Coas. Vincent
Reading of the Scripture.
Hymn No. 219, "Duke Street"..........J. Hatton
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Dream of Bethlehem"..........C. W. Coombs
Notices.
Offering.
Soprano solo, with violin obligato, "My Heart Ever Faithful"..........J. S. Bach
The Sermon.
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Birthday of the King"..........W. H. Neidlinger
Hymn No. 251, "Italian Hymn," Felice Giardini
Special Notice.
"The First Christmas" (a Carol Anthem)
..........Joseph Barnby
Organ postlude, "March in E Flat," Th. Salome

**First Methodist Episcopal Church,**

MORNING.

"Exalt Him"..........Hauscomb
"The Holy Child"..........Shelley

EVENING.

"Come Ye Lofty, Come Ye Lowly"....Schnecker
"Noel"..........Adam
"There Were Shepherds"..........Buck
"Glory to Heaven's Eternal King"..........
..........Meyer-Helmund
"The Birthday of a King"..........Neidlinger
"The Nativity"..........Holden
"Bethlehem"..........Bartlett
Miss Dora Goodsell, soprano.
Miss Esther Needham, contralto.
W. W. Davis, tenor.
J. M. Robinson, conductor.
Chorus of thirty voices.

**First Unitarian Church,**

Organ voluntary..........
Professor E. Katzenbach.
Anthem: "Arise! Shine!"..........Maker
The Chorus Choir of twenty-five voices under Professor D. P. Hughes.
Scriptures, Old and New..........
Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
Prayer..........
Rev. C. W. Wendte.
Trio and chorus from *Christus*.....Mendelssohn
Messrs. Dowdell, Hughes and Webb and Chorus Choir.
Christmas hymn, No. 378, "O Let Your Mingling Voices Rise"..........
Congregation.
Selection..........
The Acme Club Orchestra of twenty-five, conducted by Llewelyn Hughes.
Address: "The Enduring Influence of Jesus on the Thought and Faith of Humanity"..........
Anthem: "The Nativity"..........Shelley
The Chorus Choir.
Address: "The Enduring Influence of Jesus on the Life of Humanity"..........
Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
The collection, for the Oakland Benevolent Society.
Selection, German Songs and Sounds.......
The Acme Club Orchestra.
Closing hymn, "Christmas Night"..........
Benediction.

**First Baptist Church**

MORNING SERVICE, 10:30 O'CLOCK, DECEMBER 23D.

Organ prelude—Offertory in C Minor......
..........Alex Guilmant, Op. 39
Doxology and Invocation.
Hymn 108, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing!"
..........Mendelssohn
Responsive Reading.
Anthem, "Sing and Rejoice"..........Barnby
Choir.
Reading of Scriptures.
Anthem, "Nazareth"..........Gounod
C. L. Trow and Choir.
Response and Notices.
Offertory, "The Holy City"......Stephen Adams
Annie Pollitt.
Hymn 112, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed,"
..........Webb
Sermon—Rev. C. H. Hobart.
Hymn 104, "As With Gladness"..........Kocher
Benediction.
Organ postlude, "Grand Triumphal Chorus"
..........Alex Guilmant, Op. 47

The Christmas Sunday evening service will be held December 30th, 7 o'clock, at which the following will be rendered:

Organ prelude, "O, Thou That Tellest"
..........Handel
Anthem, "Peace on Earth"..........Lewis
Choir.
Chorus, "Hallelujah!"..........Handel
Choir.
Offertory, "I Will Extol Thee"..........Haydn
W. J. Oakes and C. L. Trow.
Organ postlude, "March Festivita," in A Flat..........Mason
Organist and Director, James Pollitt.

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Altos—L. Robinson, M. Marshall, A. C. Robertson, M. Greub, M. Hempstead and F. Pollitt.

Tenors—W. J. Oakes, D. McDonald, S. Masters, H. Waters and L. L. Gilbert.

Bass—C. G. Reed, C. L. Trow, A. P. Parker, W. Brown, W. Mason, C. F. Baker, E. C. Brown and W. Alexander.

## SUNDAY SERMONS.

### Texts Announced at the Various Churches.

St. Andrew's Church, Episcopal, corner Ninth and Cypress streets, Rev. Marden D. Wilson, rector. Services for tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer at 11 A. M., with sermon by the rector. Subject, "Forgiveness of Sins." Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening prayer at 7:30, with sermon by Rev. J. Mynard, rector of St. John's Church. The music to be rendered by the Boys' Choir, at both morning and evening service, and will be especially good.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—At 10:30 o'clock, Dr McLean will preach. Service and subject appropriate to Christmas. At 7:30 P. M., festival praise service. Dr. McLean will preside and give the address. Christmas Eve a strangers' social will be held in the church chapel and parlors under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. "The Christmas Carol" will be well read and there will be pleasing music. Complimentary cards of admission at the church office.

ZION'S GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. I. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject: Make Straight the Way of the Lord." Service on Christmas Day at 10:45 A. M. and celebration of the Sunday school at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. All are invited.

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Twenty-fourth avenue, East Oakland—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., and at 7:30 P. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—At 10:30 A. M. special service of music by chorus choir and Acme Club Orchestra, under Professor D. P. Hughes. Revs. C. W. Wendte and E. T. Wilkes will make brief addresses on "The Enduring Influence of Jesus." No evening service.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Question meeting, conducted by Mrs. Sarah A. Harris at Hamilton Hall (Theosophical free library rooms) at 7:45 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. Dr. M. J. Ferguson of San Francisco will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Dr. Ferguson is a graduate of Harvard College and an able and entertaining speaker. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6:15 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Themes: Morning, "The Glory of Bethlehem;" evening, "Seeking and Sought." The evening service will be evangelistic with a brief after-meeting.

Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at Elmhurst, in Parsons' Hall, at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening. The Christmas holiday entertainment with an interesting programme Saturday evening.

WEST OAKLAND BAPTIST MISSION, Campbell street—Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:15 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Twelfth and Clay streets—Every man should attend the men's meeting tomorrow at 4 P. M. The song service will be assisted by Miss Pearl Noble, cornetist, and J. F. Flemming of San Francisco, baritone soloist. The address will be by Rev. S. J. Carroll, D. D., on "Fits of Extravagance." All men invited.

THE SALVATION ARMY will conduct a meeting under their own auspices at Hamilton Hall tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the evening at Eighth street barracks Dr. John Thompson, agent for the American Bible Society, will speak and a batch of cadets farewell for their field appointments as lieutenants.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon in the morning and in the evening the Sunday school will present a Christmas exercise. The Christmas festivities will occur on Thursday night.

PROSPECT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Preaching by Rev. E. E. Clark. Subject of morning sermon, "What Christmas Means." In the evening there will be a missionary exercise entitled, "The Angels' Story." Sabbath school Christmas Festival Monday evening, December 24th, in Upper Fruit Vale Hall.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Dr. Coyle will preach at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Special Christmas music for both services.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D., a former pastor, and at 7:30 P. M., by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. M. Willet, pastor. At the morning service, 11 A. M., there will be a Christmas sermon and appropriate Christmas music. At the evening service, orchestra assisting, the subject will be "The Great Choice."

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH—G. H. Jones, pastor. Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon. Evening service will be conducted by the Sunday school. "Christ, Our Star," is the title of the service. The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school are to be held on Tuesday night; the offering of provisions or money is to be for the Fred Finch Orphanage.

BROOKLYN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Twelfth avenue and Fifteenth street, East Oakland—S. S. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 10:30 A. M.; subject, "They Are Dead Who Sought the Young Child's Life." Evening, 7:30 P. M., "What Has the Babe in the Manger to Do With Life?" Appropriate music at both services.

EIGHTH AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Bishop D. A. Goodsell, LL. D., and at 7:30 P. M., by the pastor. Subject of evening sermon, "The Christmas Miracle." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Seats free. All welcome. Bishop Goodsell has special supervision of Methodism west of the Rocky Mountains and from British Columbia to Mexico, and he is a great preacher and administrator.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 o'clock. Lorin — in the German Methodist Episcopal Church will hold service at 3 and Sunday school at 2 P. M. Christmas Day there are special services at 5:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. The annual Sunday school festival will be held next Wednesday at 8 P. M.

CHESTER STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. At 10:30 A. M. Rev. Dr. Matthews, editor of the *California Christian Advocate*, will preach, followed by the Sunday school, to which Dr. Matthews will also speak. At 7:30 P. M. preaching by the pastor: "Question—How Can a God of Love Punish Eternally for Sins Committed in a Short Life?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH — The Christian Endeavor Society, with the Sunday school, will give the Christmas song service, "The Royal Son," followed by an address, "The Star of Bethlehem." Members of the school are requested to be in their places promptly at 10:30 instead of 12 o'clock.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (Episcopal), Grove street, near Eighth, Floyd J. Mynard, rector, Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion at 7:45 A. M. Morning prayer and confirmation at 11 o'clock; evening prayer at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school Christmas carol service at 3 P. M. The Right Rev. W. F. Nichols, D. D., will administer the rite of confirmation at the 11 o'clock service. The Rev. Mardon D. Wilson will officiate in the evening.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, Rev. R. Ritchie, rector—Fourth Sunday in Advent; holy communion at 8 A. M.; Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M.; young men's Bible class at 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. John Palmer, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Saviour of Others Cannot Save Himself." Evening subject, "Well-doing." Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M.

ST. MARCUS' GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "Three Testimonies of Christ." At 7 P. M. a Christmas service for children.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor—Subject for 10:30 A. M., "The Unending Reign of Christ;" 7:30 P. M., "The Duty of Being a Church Member"; Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. Alfred Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning at 10:30, he will preach a Christmas sermon. At 7:30 P. M. he will answer questions from the query box, to be interspersed with a choice programme of Christmas music by the choir. Query box at the First Methodist Episcopal Church—Among the questions that Dr. Kummer will answer on Sunday night are the following: Is paradise heaven? Is there a personal devil? What is Colonel Ingersoll's position on the temperance question? What should a pastor do when very young children are brought to the communion? How shall we keep awake in church? Where does the spirit dwell after death?

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Pastor C. M. Hill will preach. Subjects: 10:30 A. M., "Christmas-tide Reflections"; 7:30 P. M., "Christ at the Door."


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## Christmas Carols in Church.

### Special Services to Be Given.

### Arrangements Announced by the Pastors.

How the Day of Peace and Good-will Is to Be Passed.

The Christmas services at the churches this year will be unusually good, as will be seen by some of the musical programmes given herewith:

**First Congregational Church.**

EVENING SERVICE.

Organ prelude, grand chorus in D .... Alex Guilmant
Responsive scripture ....
Congregation standing.
Congregational hymn, No. 68 in Hymnal...
Chorus.... Oliver King
Offertory, tenor solo .... A. Tolotti
Congregational hymn, 210 Select Songs.....
Congregation standing.
Tenor solo, *Messiah* ....
Isaiah xl.
Haggai ii.
Alto solo, *Messiah*....
Isaiah ix.
Chorus .... Field
Luke ii.
Soprano solo and double quartet... Dudley Buck
Luke ii:15.
Quartet and chorus, "Holy Night"....... Buck
Hymn, 273 Select Songs .... Mendelssohn
Congregation standing.
Soprano solo, duet, quartet and chorus.. Shelley
Matthew ii.
Bass solo and chorus.... Shelley
Isaiah xxxii.
Chorus .... Stephen Adams
"The Star That Led to God"....
St. John xiv 3.
Oratorio, "De Noel".... C. Saint-Saens
Postlude, "March for a Church Festival"....
.... W. T. Best
Benediction.

**First Presbyterian Church.**

MORNING SERVICE 10:30 A. M.

Organ prelude—(a) Pastorale; (b) Finale (From Sonata in D Minor) .... Guilmant
Doxology, "Old Hundredth"....
Te Deum, Festival in D .... Dudley Buck
Reading of the Scripture
"The First Christmas" (a Carol Anthem)
(a) The Annunciation ....
(b) The Message of the Shepherds
(c) Cradle Song of the Virgin....
(d) Gloria in Excelsis ....
.... Joseph Barnby
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Cantique de Noel".... Adolph Adam
Reading of the Scripture
Hymn No. 320, "Eternal Angels" .... Mendelssohn
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Manger Cradle".... W. H. Neidlinger
Notices.
Offering.
Contralto Solo, "Lullaby"..... C. B. Osgood
The Sermon.
Hymn No. 31, "Adeste Fideles".. John Reading
Special Notice
"Gloria in Excelsis" (Messe Solonelle) .... Charles Gounod
Benediction.
Organ postlude, "Finale".... Lemmens

EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Organ prelude, "Grand Offertory in D".. Batiste
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" Chas. Vincent
Reading of the Scripture
Hymn No. 213, "Duke Street"...... J. Hatton
Prayer.
Response, male quartet.
"Dream of Bethlehem"..... C. W. Coombs
Notices
Offering.
Soprano solo, with violin obligato, "My Heart Ever Faithful" .... J. S. Bach
The Sermon
Baritone solo and chorus, "The Birthday of the King".... W. H. Neidlinger
Hymn No. 2?, "Italian Hymn," Felice Giardini
Special Notice.
"The First Christmas," (a Carol Anthem) .... Joseph Barnby
Organ postlude, "March in E Flat," Th. Salome

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**

MORNING.

"Exalt Him" .... Hanscomb
"The Holy Child" .... Shelley

EVENING.

"Come Ye Lofty, Come Ye Lowly".... Schnecker
"Noel" .... Adam
"There Were Shepherds" .... Buck
"Glory to Heaven's Eternal King" .... Meyer-Leonard
"The Birthday of a King" .... Neidlinger
"The Nativity" .... Holden
"Bethlehem" .... Bartlett
Miss Dora Goodsell, soprano.
Miss Esther Needham, contralto.
W. W. Davis, tenor.
J. M. Robinson, conductor.
Chorus of thirty voices.

**First Unitarian Church.**

Organ voluntary.... Professor E. Katzenbach.
Anthem: "Arise, Shine" .... Maker
The Chorus Choir of twenty-five voices under Professor D. P. Hughes.
Scriptures, Old and New.
Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
Prayer.... Rev. C. W. Wendte.
Trio and chorus from *Christus* .... Mendelssohn
Messrs. Dowdell, Hughes and Webb and Chorus Choir.
Christmas hymn, No. 57, "O Let Your Mingling Voices Rise" ....
Congregation.
Selection....
The Acme Club Orchestra of twenty-five, conducted by Llewelyn Hughes.
Address: "The Enduring Influence of Jesus on the Thought and Faith of Humanity"....
Anthem: "The Nativity" .... Shelley
The Chorus Choir.
Address: "The Enduring Influence of Jesus on the Life of Humanity"....
Rev. Mrs. E. T. Wilkes.
The collection, for the Oakland Benevolent society.
Selection, German Songs and Sounds....
The Acme Club Orchestra.
Closing hymn, "Christmas Night"....
Benediction.

**First Baptist Church**

MORNING SERVICE, 10:30 O'CLOCK, DECEMBER 23D.

Organ prelude—Offertory in C Minor .... Alex Guilmant, Op. 5?
Doxology and Invocation.
Hymn 108, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing!" .... Mendelssohn
Responsive Reading.
Anthem, "Sing and Rejoice" .... Barnby
Choir.
Reading of Scriptures.
Anthem, "Nazareth" .... Gounod
C. L. Trow and Choir.
Response and Notices.
Offertory, "The Holy City" .... Stephen Adams
Annie Pollitt.
Hymn 112, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed," .... Webb
Sermon—Rev. C. H. Hobart.
Hymn 104, "As With Gladness" .... Kocher
Benediction
Organ postlude, "Grand Triumphal Chorus" .... Alex Guilmant, Op. 47

The Christmas Sunday evening service will be held December 30th, 7 o'clock, at which the following will be rendered:

Organ prelude, "O, Thou That Tellest" .... Handel
Anthem, "Peace on Earth" .... Lewis
Choir.
Chorus, "Hallelujah!" .... Handel
Choir.
Offertory, "I Will Extol Thee" .... Haydn
W. J. Oakes and C. L. Trow.
Organ postlude, "March Festivita," in A Flat .... Mason
Organist and Director, James Pollitt.

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Altos—L. Robinson, M. Marshall, A. C. Robertson, M. Greub, M. Hempstead and F. Pollitt.

Tenors—W. J. Oakes, D. McDonald, S. Masters, H. Waters and I. L. Gilbert.

Bass—C. G. Reed, C. L. Trow, A. P. Parker, W. Brown, W. Mason, C. F. Baker, E. C. Brown and W. Alexander.

## SUNDAY SERMONS.

### Texts Announced at the Various Churches.

St. Andrew's Church, Episcopal, corner Ninth and Cypress streets, Rev. Marden D. Wilson, rector. Services for tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer at 11 A. M., with sermon by the rector. Subject, "Forgiveness of Sins." Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening prayer at 7:30, with sermon by Rev. J. M nard, rector of St. John's Church. The music to be rendered by the Boys' Choir, at both morning and evening service, and will be especially good.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—At 10:30 o'clock, Dr McLean will preach. Subject appropriate to Christmas. At 7:30 P. M., festival praise service. Dr. McLean will preside and give the address. Christmas Eve a strangers' social will be held in the church chapel and parlors under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. "The Christmas Carol" will be well read and there will be pleasing music. Complimentary cards of admission at the church office.

ZION'S GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. I. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject: Make Straight the Way of the Lord." Service on Christmas Day at 10:45 A. M. and celebration of the Sunday school at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. All are invited.

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Twenty-fourth avenue, East Oakland—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., and at 7:30 P. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—At 10:30 A. M. special service of music by chorus choir and Acme Club Orchestra, under Professor D. P. Hughes. Revs. C. W. Wendte and E. T. Wilkes will make brief addresses on "The Enduring Influence of Jesus." No evening service.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Question meeting, conducted by Mrs. Sarah A. Harris at Hamilton Hall (Theosophical free library rooms) at 7:15 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. Dr. M. J. Ferguson of San Francisco will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Dr. Ferguson is a graduate of Harvard College and an able and entertaining speaker. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6:15 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Themes: Morning, "The Glory of Bethlehem;" evening, "Seeking and Sought." The evening service will be evangelistic with a brief after-meeting.

Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at Elmhurst, in Parsons' Hall, at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening. The Christmas holiday entertainment with an interesting programme Saturday evening.

WEST OAKLAND BAPTIST MISSION, Campbell street—Rev. L. T. Bush will preach at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:15 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Twelfth and Clay streets—Every man should attend the men's meeting tomorrow at 4 P. M. The song service will be assisted by Miss Pearl Noble, cornetist, and J. F. Flemming of San Francisco, baritone soloist. The address will be by Rev. S. J. Carroll, D. D., on "Fits of Extravagance." All men invited.

THE SALVATION ARMY will conduct a meeting under their own auspices at Hamilton Hall tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the evening at Eighth street barracks Dr. John Thompson, agent for the American Bible Society, will speak and a batch of cadets farewell for their field appointments as lieutenants.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon in the morning and in the evening the Sunday school will present a Christmas exercise. The Christmas festivities will occur on Thursday night.

PROSPECT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Preaching by Rev. E. E. Clark. Subject of morning sermon, "What Christmas Means." In the evening there will be a missionary exercise entitled, "The Angels' Story." Sabbath school Christmas Festival Monday evening, December 24th, in Upper Fruit Vale Hall.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Dr. Coyle will preach at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Special Christmas music for both services.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. W. Scott Whittier, D. D., a former pastor, and at 7:30 P. M., by Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. M. Willet, pastor. At the morning service, 11 A. M., there will be a Christmas sermon and appropriate Christmas music. At the evening service, orchestra assisting, the subject will be "The Great Choice."

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH—G. H. Jones, pastor. Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon. Evening service will be conducted by the Sunday school. "Christ, Our Star," is the title of the service. The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school are to be held on Tuesday night; the offering of provisions or money is to be for the Fred Finch Orphanage.

BROOKLYN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Twelfth avenue and Fifteenth street, East Oakland—S. S. Palmer, pastor. Morning service, 10:30 A. M.; subject, "They Are Dead Who Sought the Young Child's Life." Evening, 7:30 P. M., "What Has the Babe in the Manger to Do With Life?" Appropriate music at both services.

EIGHTH AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Bishop D. A. Goodsell, LL. D., and at 7:30 P. M., by the pastor. Subject of evening sermon, "The Christmas Miracle." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Seats free. All welcome. Bishop Goodsell has special supervision of Methodism west of the Rocky Mountains and from British Columbia to Mexico, and he is a great preacher and administrator.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 o'clock. Lorin — In the German Methodist Episcopal Church will hold service at 3 and Sunday school at 2 P. M. Christmas Day there are special services at 5:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. The annual Sunday school festival will be held next Wednesday at 8 P. M.

CHESTER STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. At 10:30 A. M. Rev. Dr. Matthews, editor of the *California Christian Advocate*, will preach, followed by the Sunday school, to which Dr. Matthews will also speak. At 7:30 P. M. preaching by the pastor: "Question—How Can a God of Love Punish Eternally for Sins Committed in a Short Life?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH — The Christian Endeavor Society, with the Sunday school, will give the Christmas song service, "The Royal Son," followed by an address, "The Star of Bethlehem." Members of the school are requested to be in their places promptly at 10:30 instead of 12 o'clock.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (Episcopal), Grove street, near Eighth, Floyd J. Mynard, rector, Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion at 7:45 A. M. Morning prayer and confirmation at 11 o'clock; evening prayer at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school Christmas carol service at 3 P. M. The Right Rev. W. F. Nichols, D. D., will administer the rite of confirmation at the 11 o'clock service. The Rev. Mardon D. Wilson will officiate in the evening.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, Rev. R. Ritchie, rector—Fourth Sunday in Advent; holy communion at 8 A. M.; Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M.; young men's Bible class at 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. John Palmer, pastor—Preaching service at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Saviour of Others Cannot Save Himself." Evening subject, "Well-doing." Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M.

ST. MARCUS' GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "Three Testimonies of Christ." At 7 P. M. a Christmas service for children.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor—Subject for 10:30 A. M., "The Unending Reign of Christ;" 7:30 P. M., "The Duty of Being a Church Member"; Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. Alfred Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning at 10:30, he will preach a Christmas sermon. At 7:30 P. M. he will answer questions from the query box, to be interspersed with a choice programme of Christmas music by the choir. Query box at the First Methodist Episcopal Church—Among the questions that Dr. Kummer will answer on Sunday night are the following: Is paradise heaven? Is there a personal devil? What is Colonel Ingersoll's position on the temperance question? What should a pastor do when very young children are brought to the communion? How shall we keep awake in church? Where does the spirit dwell after death?

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SATURDAY.......DECEMBER 22, 1894

WHEN is the law-making Oakland a sub-port of entry going to be put into effect?

THE establishment of a co-operative bakery is the latest scheme in Chicago to secure a cheaper and bigger loaf to accord with the price of flour.

CHICAGO has become such a seat of wickedness on the ground floor that an effort is to be made to get nearer heaven and purity through the agency of a forty story building, the erection of which is contemplated.

THE biennial report of the State Board of Examiners is just now being prepared for submission to the incoming Legislature. The board consists of the Governor, the Attorney General and Secretary of State. The bulk of the work of preparing the report falls, of course, on the efficient secretary of the board, George E. Platt. The report will be one of the most voluminous documents submitted to the Legislature. The duty of the Board of Examiners is of course to pass upon the various claims against the State Treasury and the report will contain a record of each one. Its preparation has been made with great care, but it will be difficult for anyone not conversant with the office of the secretary of the board to fully comprehend the magnitude of the work involved.

THE State of Illinois has a law providing for the close of saloons and prohibiting the sale of liquor on Sunday, but it has never been enforced in the city of Chicago. An effort was once made to enforce the statute during the time Joseph Medill of the Chicago *Tribune* was Mayor of the city, but it failed. There was an overwhelming revolt against its enforcement and no political party has since dared to touch it. Now the Christian Citizenship League has been organized for the strict enforcement of all laws, State and municipal, with the view of putting the Sunday saloon closing law into operation. What success it will have remains to be seen. The indications are that it will have uphill work, because neither of the regular political organizations will indorse the League's action.

THERE are not very many newspapers in the United States that have passed the semi-centennial mark in their lives. The Milwaukee *Sentinel* is among the few. On the 9th instant it celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its first appearance as a daily newspaper, by appearing in a twenty-eight page edition. The occasion marks not only an interesting event in the *Sentinel's* own career, but that paper avails itself of the opportunity to point out the wonderful development it has witnessed and recorded from day to day through the half century of its existence, not only in Milwaukee, but likewise in other parts of the country. Chicago, which is now reaching out for the second place in the list of cities in the Union in 1844, contained one daily newspaper, and a note of the fact is recorded in the first issue of the *Sentinel*. Detroit, which is now a city low down in the scale of population and importance, was then supporting three dailies. There were no railroads in those days in Wisconsin, and the first work on the first railroad was not done until five years later. Now that State is gridironed, and Milwaukee is an important railroad center with a population of 270,000. The *Sentinel* has grown in strength, wealth and influence through the half century of its life, and it faces the next half with stronger faith and brighter hopes than ever.

### Purifying the Puddle.

Milton S. Latham, who was Governor of California for two days, and United States Senator from California for three years, filling the unexpired term of David Broderick, is reported to be the father of the suggestive expression, "The filthy pool of politics." When the doings of the Tweed gang were exposed in New York and they sought refuge from justice in flight, the public gained an insight into the filthiness of the pool. But it has remained for the Lexow Senate Commission of New York to sound the real depths of the filthy political pool in the great metropolis.

The commission has, until recently, been uncovering the lower levels of the Police Department—that arm of the metropolitan government, which is supposed to have been most generally engaged in corrupt practices. Patrolmen, [illegible], sergeants and captains of police were brought to the front to answer charges reluctantly made against them by their victims on the witness stand. For a time a howl of virtuous indignation issued from the police ranks, accompanied by expostulations and threats. But this was of no avail, the evidence was convincing. Now, it is being [illegible] that the work of the Senate committee [illegible] the lower levels of the Metropolitan Police Department [illegible] important purpose [illegible] of ward men and other underlings of the department. The investigation has taken an upward turn. The captains of the police have ceased howling against an alleged outrage and proclaiming their innocence, and are turning State's evidence. One captain bravely faced the music and confessed that he had risen to his post of trust and power, not through merit, but through the agency of a bribe of $15,000. He was promptly suspended by the Police Commissioners. The object was, of course, the intimidation of other officers who might have a tale to unfold. But it has been unavailing. Now comes another captain of police and makes a clean breast of it. This police captain was a confectioner in 1874 and entered the Metropolitan Police service as a patrolman, but, according to his confession on the stand, his promotion was due to the influence of ward politics. This was the beginning of his work as a coadjutor to the corrupt metropolitan ring:

Now, captain, about the time you were in command of the steamboat squad you learned, of course, that the men on the docks had to give up half of their salaries? Yes. Wardman Vail told me of it. I told him I did not want to keep it up, and he told me that I was a — fool; that the men had just as soon give it up as not and I might as well get it.

And you finally agreed to this? Yes.

And Vail was your collector, I believe? Yes, for about two months, and then Gannon was appointed. I would like now to brand Vail as a liar for saying on this stand that I wanted all the money from the men.

How much did Vail collect for you each month? About $100.

And did you ever have to give up any of this money to any other police officials? No, I did not.

The witness then went on to explain his operations in other districts assigned to his charge. The influences at work behind the scenes were thus brought to the surface:

Were there any houses that received protection without paying for it?

Yes.

What were they?

I once received a letter from Commissioner Sheehan introducing a man named Proctor and telling me I could do what Proctor asked. Proctor then told me he was a partner of Maynard, a storekeeper on Broadway, and that Maynard wanted to open a gambling house. I told him I would not let him do so until I saw Superintendent Byrnes. I then saw the Superintendent and told him the whole story and he told me not to allow the house to open.

The following questions and answers brought out another feature in the case.

Do you know Georgiana Hastings? I know of her.

How was it she paid no protection money? She was exempt for some reason.

Why was she exempt? Because I got a hint that if I did not keep my hands off her I would get my fingers burned.

And you did so? Yes.

Regarding this part of the police captain's testimony the Commission's attorney, Mr. Goff, said that the true reason Georgiana Hastings "had never been molested was because several judges of New York were in the habit of visiting her house and had thrown the mantle of their protection around her." Thus the fountain head of justice in the metropolis seems to have been contaminated by the corrupting influences of the filthy pool of politics. The witness was then required to reveal his relations with the Police Commissioners:

Now, Captain, did you ever give one cent to any police official besides those you have named here? Yes. I paid Commissioner Martin $100 last year, and another $100 to Commissioner Sheehan previously. It was a political contribution, however, and given voluntarily, because they were the leaders of the district I was in. It was only admitted to me that it was advisable for me to do so. I gave the money direct to them.

On the subject of the cost of positions in the department, the witness said a roundsman's place cost $300; a police sergeant's $1600. It was admitted by Captain Creedon, a previous witness, that he had paid $15,000 for a captaincy.

The Lexow Commission has now reached the Police Commissioners, and its work is scarcely fairly begun. Who knows what revelations are yet in store?

### Under the Mistletoe.

The girl from Philadelphia
In some things is not slow.
She says "Good gracious me! Was I
Beneath that mistletoe?"

The St. Louis girl a startled look
At once begins to wear,
As she exclaims: "How very strange!
I didn't know 'twas there."

The San Francisco maid demure
Is calm as calm can be,
As, with a blissful smile, she says,
"You've caught right on, I see."

The Boston girl removes her specs,
Her classic face sedate,
And, as she looks around, she says:
"I'll take a chair and wait."

The Gotham maiden lifts herself
Upon her tiny toe,
Remarking, as she takes one more,
"It's English, don't you know?"

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### A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, December 23d.

BREAKFAST.

Fruit.
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Broiled Steak.
French Fried Potatoes.
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DINNER

Soup a la Reine.
Roast Duck Currant Jelly.
Sweet Potatoes. Peas.
Boiled Rice.
Mayonnaise of Celery.
Wafers. Cheese.

SUPPER.

Broiled Oysters. Brown Sauce.
Brown Bread and Butter.
Shaddocks. Coffee.

### BITS OF GOSSIP.

The Sultan of Turkey is one of the most hard-worked men in the Ottoman dominions. Rising at 6 o'clock every morning, he devotes his days in the seclusion of the Yildiz Palace and gardens to personal attention to all the affairs of State laid before him by his ministers. He is of slight figure. A pale brown overcoat conceals any decorations he might be wearing, so that the attention of those who see him on the one day in seven, when he presents himself to the view of the people, is not diverted from his pale, wan and careworn face, half covered by a thin brown beard tinged with gray, and surmounted by a plain red fez. The Sultan has been the means of establishing 50,000 schools throughout his Empire, not only for boys, but for girls also, which is a striking departure from the traditional usage of his race.

Wilford Woodruff, president of the Mormon Church, has for years cultivated a farm of forty acres with no other labor than that of his own hands and that of his family. His wife and daughters raise chickens, preserve fruit and run a dairy, while his sons raise hogs and calves and do general farm work. Except tea, coffee, sugar and groceries, the farm has produced nearly everything the family has needed to live on.

Governor-elect Coffin of Connecticut and Lieutenant Governor Cady, his Democratic opponent, are both interested in the blue-ribbon temperance movement.

Prince Waldemar of Denmark has threatened to divorce his wife because she persists in smoking cigarettes and insists upon her right to be an amateur fire lassie and runs with the machine when there is a "three-six" call.

Nathan White of Rutherford county, N. C., who was born June 26, 1794, still works on his farm. He plowed every day last spring, split rails and mended his own fences. Although the old gentleman has never been able to read, he has accumulated a modest fortune.

Representative Holman of Indiana is to write a book giving his reminiscences of the thirty years he has been in Congress. "I cannot hope," he said yesterday, "to write such a book as Mr. Blaine wrote, for instance, but I think I can make an interesting contribution to history." It is understood that Mr. Holman has not yet commenced the volume, but will wait until he enters upon the leisure of private life.—*Washington Post*

### RANDOM NOTES.

About 4,380,000 postage stamps of the two-cent denomination are used in the United States yearly.

Hartford, Conn., modestly claims to have had closer connection with American literature than any other city of its size in the country. It bases its claim on the fact that it has been the home of Mrs. Sigourney, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Isabella Beecher Hooker, Mark Twain, J. Hammond Trumbull, Richard Burton, William Gillette, the playwright, Noah Webster, the lexicographer, and a host of others of greater or less fame.—*New York World.*

Ground has been broken at Lake Geneva, Wis., for the erection of the Yerkes telescope. The altitude of the site is 1200 feet above the sea and 600 feet above Lake Michigan.

Official steps have just been taken, without opposition, to abolish the only remaining toll road in Connecticut, the Derby turnpike. The company was chartered about one hundred years ago.

A young woman of Butte, Mon., applied to a court there the other day for permission to kill her lover who had jilted her. She thought she had a right so to do, but wanted to go about it legally and decorously. The court was inclined to agree with her in the premises, but was obliged to dismiss her application.

Trinity parish, New York, is served by a small army of organists, singers, acolytes, and other semi-ecclesiastical adjuncts to worship. There are twelve organists and assistants, and more than 300 persons are employed in the choir or as acolytes, severs, and crucifers. Besides the parish employs nearly forty teachers in its daily schools, a score of sextons, and nearly a dozen doctors.

The Police Commissioners yesterday notified the proprietors of the hotels that they must refrain from providing their guests with facilities for card playing, in the way of cards, chips or rooms, to be used for this purpose, as it is said they have been in the habit of doing. Hereafter, if gentlemen indulge in the pastime of gaming at the hotels, they must furnish their own implements and carefully guard the nature of their occupation from the knowledge of the landlord.—*Boston Transcript.*

What shall we do in the long winter evenings? Fry doughnuts made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Mushrooms au gratin — Salt them lightly, roll them in arrowroot and fry to a pale brown in butter. Put them in a deep dish, cover with a rich bechamel sauce flavored with chopped parsley and Maderia wine; cover with rolled, browned bread crumbs; stick little bits of butter among the bread crumbs; bake to a light brown and serve boiling hot.

Dealers say the pointed shoes have reached the limit and will now decline.

Braised turkey—This should be prepared and stuffed in the usual manner, with veal forcemeat or chestnuts stewed in gravy till tender. After it has been neatly and firmly trussed, put in a stewpan with a few ounces of fresh butter, and turn it about over a brisk fire until nicely browned all over; then place it in another pan upon a bed of mixed herbs and vegetables that have been cut in small pieces; pour in enough stock to cover the vegetables—barely cover them, lay a sheet of buttered paper closely over the turkey, then put on the lid and cook very gently over a moderate fire, basting frequently with the liquid in the pan until the cooking is satisfactorily completed. By the time the turkey is thoroughly done it will have absorbed the flavor of the stock and the various vegetables and consequently the flesh will be tender, rich and juicy. But in order to accomplish this most desirable result the cooking must be slow and great care must be taken to see that the contents of the pan never reach the boiling point, but only simmer all the time. It is by paying strict attention to this and by browning the bird quickly in the first place, and so retaining all the natural juices, that braising can be rendered vastly superior to broiling or roasting. Serve very hot, press all the vegetables used in the pan through a sieve and lay them in the dish. No one will know exactly what this puree is, but everyone will enjoy it.

Baked Ham—Those who are accustomed to boil hams should try one baked for a change. None of the juice is lost in the water, and the flesh is as tender as if it were braised; the flavor full and mellow. Soak the ham in cold water for at least twelve hours; wash it well, dry it and cut off all the rusty parts underneath, trimming neatly. Wrap the ham an inch thick in a dough made of flour and water; put the ham thus covered in a baking dish and bake it in a hot oven for quite four hours. When done, let it cool a little; then crack off the crust, remove the skin of the ham with it, and dust over with grated bread.

An equivalent to the mincemeat of winter time that makes it impossible to prepare a "batch" in readiness for unexpected meals, as portable as the Christmas pie, and as universally satisfactory, is the following, which will prove a valuable aid when luncheon baskets are an anxiety: Two pounds large ripe apples, pared and chopped; one pound soda biscuits, crushed and rolled; one pound stoned raisins, finely chopped; one pound fresh beef suet, ditto; one pound Demerara sugar; one-quarter pound candied peel, shred finely; one teaspoonful grated nutmeg; one teaspoonful ground cinnamon; one teaspoonful ground ginger; one ditto of salt; a cupful of cider and one-quarter pint of brandy. Mix thoroughly, together all the ingredients, place the mince in a stone jar and cover tightly; keep it untouched for a week, then use for pies. It will keep good for a long time.

To make cold cream take oil of almonds two ounces, spermaceti half an ounce, white wax a drachm. Melt together, and while cooling add two ounces of rose-water, stirring until cold. Cold cream may also be made by this formula: Take four ounces of unsalted butter, four ounces of white wax, an ounce of vaseline, melt together and perfume with oil of bergamot. The more cold creams are stirred and beaten while cooling the whiter they become.

The German Empress thinks that the root of the servant problem lies in the fact that mistresses are too little concerned about their comforts. They ought, she says, to do everything they can to make the leisure hours of their servants as agreeable as possible.

Evening head-dresses are really hardly more than a lot of rosettes of proportions that quite cover their foundation. In general the shape is a triangle or crescent with a big rosette at each of the side corners, another in front and then a flare of lace, an aigrette or an ornament rises perkily from the whole.

Most of the principal stones now worn have their significance. Sapphires, as "heavenly thoughts;" diamonds, as "repentance," "innocence," "light," "purity," "life and joy." Emeralds denote success in love, faith, victory and immortality. There is a great diversity of opinion as to the meaning of the opal; while some consider it portends good fortune and hope, others deem it unlucky. The turquoise denotes success and numerous friends; the pearl, purity, innocence, humility and tears; while the amethyst signifies sobriety and temperance. Many of the more precious stones were considered by the ancients to have a particular signification and every month was supposed to be under the influence of one of them. The following meanings are most generally accepted: January, garnet, constancy, and fidelity in every engagement; February, amethyst, sincerity; March, bloodstone, courage, wisdom and firmness in affection; April, sapphire and diamond, repentance and innocence; May, emerald, discovers false friends and insures true love; June, agate, insures long life, health and prosperity; July, ruby and cornelian, discovers poison and content; August, sardonyx, conjugal felicity; September, chrysolite, against madness; October, opal, hope; November, topaz, fidelity and friendship, prevents bad dreams; December, turquoise, prosperity in love.

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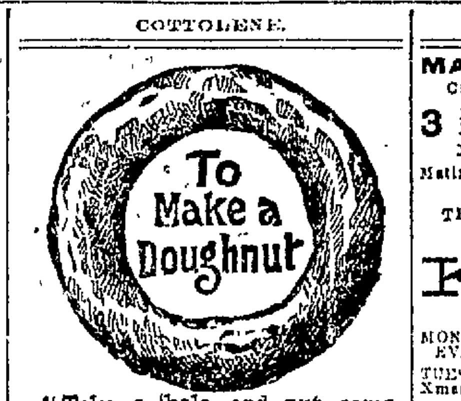


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SATURDAY.....DECEMBER 22, 1894

WHEN is the law-making Oakland a sub-port of entry going to be put into effect?

THE establishment of a co-operative bakery is the latest scheme in Chicago to secure a cheaper and bigger loaf to accord with the price of flour.

CHICAGO has become such a seat of wickedness on the ground floor that an effort is to be made to get nearer heaven and purity through the agency of a forty story building, the erection of which is contemplated.

THE biennial report of the State Board of Examiners is just now being prepared for submission to the incoming Legislature. The board consists of the Governor, the Attorney General and Secretary of State. The bulk of the work of preparing the report falls, of course, on the efficient secretary of the board, George E. Platt. The report will be one of the most voluminous documents submitted to the Legislature. The duty of the Board of Examiners is of course to pass upon the various claims against the State Treasury and the report will contain a record of each one. Its preparation has been made with great care, but it will be difficult for anyone not conversant with the office of the secretary of the board to fully comprehend the magnitude of the work involved.

THE State of Illinois has a law providing for the close of saloons and prohibiting the sale of liquor on Sunday, but it has never been enforced in the city of Chicago. An effort was once made to enforce the statute during the time Joseph Medill of the Chicago *Tribune* was Mayor of the city, but it failed. There was an overwhelming revolt against its enforcement and no political party has since dared to touch it. Now the Christian Citizenship League has been organized for the strict enforcement of all laws, State and municipal, with the view of putting the Sunday saloon closing law into operation. What success it will have remains to be seen. The indications are that it will have uphill work, because neither of the regular political organizations will indorse the League's action.

THERE are not very many newspapers in the United States that have passed the semi-centennial mark in their lives. The Milwaukee *Sentinel* is among the few. On the 9th instant it celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its first appearance as a daily newspaper, by appearing in a twenty-eight page edition. The occasion marks not only an interesting event in the *Sentinel's* own career, but that paper avails itself of the opportunity to point out the wonderful development it has witnessed and recorded from day to day through the half century of its existence, not only in Milwaukee, but likewise in other parts of the country. Chicago, which is now reaching out for the second place in the list of cities in the Union in 1841, contained one daily newspaper, and a note of the fact is recorded in the first issue of the *Sentinel*. Detroit, which is now a city low down in the scale of population and importance, was then supporting three dailies. There were no railroads in those days in Wisconsin, and the first work on the first railroad was not done until five years later. Now that State is gridironed, and Milwaukee is an important railroad center with a population of 270,000. The *Sentinel* has grown in strength, wealth and influence through the half century of its life, and it faces the next half with stronger faith and brighter hopes than ever.

### Purifying the Puddle.

Milton S. Latham, who was Governor of California for two days, and United States Senator from California for three years, filling the unexpired term of David Broderick, is reported to be the father of the suggestive expression, "The filthy pool of politics." When the doings of the Tweed gang were exposed in New York and they sought refuge from justice in flight, the public gained an insight into the filthiness of the pool. But it has remained for the Lexow Senate Commission of New York to sound the real depths of the filthy political pool in the great metropolis.

The commission has, until recently, been uncovering the lower levels of the Police Department—that arm of the metropolitan government, which is supposed to have been most generally engaged in corrupt practices. Patrolmen, sergeants and captains of police were brought to the front to answer charges reluctantly made against them by their victims on the witness stand. For a time a howl of virtuous indignation issued from the police ranks, accompanied by expostulations and threats. But this was of no avail, the evidence was convincing. Now, it is being revealed that the work of the Senate commission on the lower levels of the Metropolitan Police Department was for a more important purpose than the exposure of ward men and other underlings of the department. The investigation has taken an upward turn. The captains of the police have ceased howling against an alleged outrage and proclaiming their innocence, and are turning State's evidence. One captain bravely faced the music and confessed that he had risen to his post of trust and power, not through merit, but through the agency of a bribe of $15,000. He was promptly suspended by the Police Commissioners. The object was, of course, the intimidation of other officers who might have a tale to unfold. But it has been unavailing. Now comes another captain of police and makes a clean breast of it. This police captain was a confectioner in 1874 and entered the Metropolitan Police service as a patrolman, but, according to his confession on the stand, his promotion was due to the influence of ward politics. This was the beginning of his work as a coadjutor to the corrupt metropolitan ring:

Now, captain, about the time you were in command of the steamboat squad you learned, of course, that the men on the docks had to give up half of their salaries?

Yes. Wardman Vail told me of it. I told him I did not want to keep it up, and he told me that I was a — fool; that the men had just as soon give it up as not and I might as well get it.

And you finally agreed to this? Yes.

And Vail was your collector, I believe? Yes, for about two months, and then Gannon was appointed. I would like now to brand Vail as a liar for saying on this stand that I wanted all the money from the men.

How much did Vail collect for you each month? About $100.

And did you ever have to give up any of this money to any other police officials? No, I did not.

The witness then went on to explain his operations in other districts assigned to his charge. The influences at work behind the scenes were thus brought to the surface:

Were there any houses that received protection without paying for it? Yes.

What were they?

I once received a letter from Commissioner Sheehan introducing a man named Proctor and telling me I could do what Proctor asked. Proctor then told me he was a partner of Maynard, a storekeeper on Broadway, and that Maynard wanted to open a gambling house. I told him I would not let him do so until I saw Superintendent Byrnes. I then saw the Superintendent and told him the whole story and he told me not to allow the house to open.

The following questions and answers brought out another feature in the case:

Do you know Georgiana Hastings? I know of her.

How was it she paid no protection money? She was exempt for some reason.

Why was she exempt? Because I got a hint that if I did not keep my hands off her I would get my fingers burned.

And you did so? Yes.

Regarding this part of the police captain's testimony the Commission's attorney, Mr. Goff, said that the true reason Georgiana Hastings "had never been molested was because several judges of New York were in the habit of visiting her house and had thrown the mantle of their protection around her." Thus the fountain head of justice in the metropolis seems to have been contaminated by the corrupting influences of the filthy pool of politics. The witness was then required to reveal his relations with the Police Commissioners:

Now, Captain, did you ever give one cent to any police official besides those you have named here? Yes, I paid Commissioner Martin $100 last year, and another $100 to Commissioner Sheehan previously. It was a political contribution, however, and given voluntarily, because they were the leaders of the district I was in. It was only admitted to me that it was advisable for me to do so. I gave the money direct to them.

On the subject of the cost of positions in the department, the witness said a roundsman's place cost $300; a police sergeant's $1000. It was admitted by Captain Creedon, a previous witness, that he had paid $15,000 for a captaincy.

The Lexow Commission has now reached the Police Commissioners, and its work is scarcely fairly begun. Who knows what revelations are yet in store?

### Under the Mistletoe.

The girl from Philadelphia
In some things is not slow.
She says: "Good gracious me! Was I
Beneath that mistletoe?"

The St. Louis girl a startled look
At once begins to wear,
As she exclaims: "How very strange!
I didn't know 'twas there."

The San Francisco maid demure
Is calm as calm can be.
As, with a blissful smile, she says:
"You've caught right on, I see."

The Boston girl removes her specs,
Her classic face sedate,
And, as she looks around, she says:
"I'll take a chair and wait."

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### BITS OF GOSSIP.

The Sultan of Turkey is one of the most hard-worked men in the Ottoman dominions. Rising at 6 o'clock every morning, he devotes his days in the seclusion of the Yildiz Palace and gardens to personal attention to all the affairs of State laid before him by his ministers. He is of slight figure. A pale brown overcoat conceals any decorations he might be wearing, so that the attention of those who see him on the one day in seven, when he presents himself to the view of the people, is not diverted from his pale, wan and care-worn face, half covered by a thin brown beard tinged with gray, and surmounted by a plain red fez. The Sultan has been the means of establishing 50,000 schools throughout his Empire, not only for boys, but for girls also, which is a striking departure from the traditional usage of his race.

Wilford Woodruff, president of the Mormon Church, has for years cultivated a farm of forty acres with no other labor than that of his own hands and that of his family. His wife and daughters raise chickens, preserve fruit and run a dairy, while his sons raise hogs and calves and do general farm work. Except tea, coffee, sugar and groceries, the farm has produced nearly everything the family has needed to live on.

Governor-elect Coffin of Connecticut and Lieutenant Governor Cady, his Democratic opponent, are both interested in the blue-ribbon temperance movement.

Prince Waldemar of Denmark has threatened to divorce his wife because she persists in smoking cigarettes and insists upon her right to be an amateur fire laddie and runs with the machine when there is a "three-six" call.

Nathan White of Rutherford county, N. C., who was born June 26, 1794, still works on his farm. He plowed every day last spring, split rails and mended his own fences. Although the old gentleman has never been able to read, he has accumulated a modest fortune.

Representative Holman of Indiana is to write a book giving his reminiscences of the thirty years he has been in Congress. "I cannot hope," he said yesterday, "to write such a book as Mr. Blaine wrote, for instance, but I think I can make an interesting contribution to history." It is understood that Mr. Holman has not yet commenced the volume, but will wait until he enters upon the leisure of private life.—*Washington Post.*

### RANDOM NOTES.

About 4,380,000 postage stamps of the two-cent denomination are used in the United States yearly.

Hartford, Conn., modestly claims to have had closer connection with American literature than any other city of its size in the country. It bases its claim on the fact that it has been the home of Mrs. Sigourney, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Isabella Beecher Hooker, Mark Twain, J. Hammond Trumbull, Richard Burton, William Gillette, the playwright, Noah Webster, the lexicographer, and a host of others of greater or less fame.—*New York World.*

Ground has been broken at Lake Geneva, Wis., for the erection of the Yerkes telescope. The altitude of the site is 1200 feet above the sea and 660 feet above Lake Michigan.

Official steps have just been taken, without opposition, to abolish the only remaining toll road in Connecticut, the Derby turnpike. The company was chartered about one hundred years ago.

A young woman of Butte, Mon., applied to a court there the other day for permission to kill her lover who had jilted her. She thought she had a right so to do, but wanted to go about it legally and decorously. The court was inclined to agree with her in the premises, but was obliged to dismiss her application.

Trinity parish, New York, is served by a small army of organists, singers, acolytes, and other semi-ecclesiastical adjuncts to worship. There are twelve organists and assistants, and more than 300 persons are employed in the choir or as acolytes, severs, and crucifers. Besides the parish employs nearly forty teachers in its daily schools, a score of sextons, and nearly a dozen doctors.

The Police Commissioners yesterday notified the proprietors of the hotels that they must refrain from providing their guests with facilities for card playing, in the way of cards, chips or rooms, to be used for this purpose, as it is said they have been in the habit of doing. Hereafter, if gentlemen indulge in the pastime of gaming at the hotels, they must furnish their own implements and carefully guard the nature of their occupation from the knowledge of the landlord.—*Boston Transcript.*

What shall we do in the long winter evenings? Fry doughnuts made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Mushrooms au gratin — Salt them lightly, roll them in arrowroot and fry to a pale brown in butter. Put them in a deep dish, cover with a rich bechamel sauce flavored with chopped parsley and Madeira wine; cover with rolled, browned bread crumbs; stick little bits of butter among the bread crumbs; bake to a light brown and serve boiling hot.

Dealers say the pointed shoes have reached the limit and will now decline.

Braised turkey—This should be prepared and stuffed in the usual manner, with veal forcemeat or chestnuts stewed in gravy till tender. After it has been neatly and firmly trussed, put in a stewpan with a few ounces of fresh butter, and turn it about over a brisk fire until nicely browned all over; then place it in another pan upon a bed of mixed herbs and vegetables that have been cut in small pieces; pour in enough stock to cover the vegetables—barely cover them, lay a sheet of buttered paper closely over the turkey, then put on the lid and cook very gently over a moderate fire, basting frequently with the liquid in the pan until the cooking is satisfactorily completed. By the time the turkey is thoroughly done it will have absorbed the flavor of the stock and the various vegetables and consequently the flesh will be tender, rich and juicy. But in order to accomplish this most desirable result the cooking must be slow and great care must be taken to see that the contents of the pan never reach the boiling point, but only simmer all the time. It is by paying strict attention to this and by browning the bird quickly in the first place, and so retaining all the natural juices, that braising can be rendered vastly superior to broiling or roasting. Serve very hot, press all the vegetables used in the pan through a sieve and lay them in the dish. No one will know exactly what this puree is, but everyone will enjoy it.

Baked Ham—Those who are accustomed to boil hams should try one baked for a change. None of the juice is lost in the water, and the flesh is as tender as if it were braised; the flavor full and mellow. Soak the ham in cold water for at least twelve hours; wash it well, dry it and cut off all the rusty parts underneath, trimming neatly. Wrap the ham an inch thick in a dough made of flour and water; put the ham thus covered in a baking dish and bake it in a hot oven for quite four hours. When done, let it cool a little; then crack off the crust, remove the skin of the ham with it, and dust over with grated bread.

An equivalent to the mincemeat of winter time that makes it impossible to prepare a "batch" in readiness for unexpected meals, as portable as the Christmas pie, and as universally satisfactory, is the following, which will prove a valuable aid when luncheon baskets are an anxiety: Two pounds large ripe apples, pared and chopped; one pound soda biscuits, crushed and rolled; one pound stoned raisins, finely chopped; one pound fresh beef suet, ditto; one pound Demerara sugar; one-quarter pound candied peel, shred finely; one teaspoonful grated nutmeg; one teaspoonful ground cinnamon; one teaspoonful ground ginger; one ditto of salt; a cupful of cider and one-quarter pint of brandy. Mix thoroughly together all the ingredients, place the mince in a stone jar and cover tightly; keep it untouched for a week, then use for pies. It will keep good for a long time.

To make cold cream take oil of almonds two ounces, spermaceti half an ounce, white wax a drachm. Melt together, and while cooling add two ounces of rose-water, stirring until cold. Cold cream may also be made by this formula: Take four ounces of unsalted butter, four ounces of white wax, an ounce of vaseline, melt together and perfume with oil of bergamot. The more cold creams are stirred and beaten while cooling the whiter they become.

The German Empress thinks that the root of the servant problem lies in the fact that mistresses are too little concerned about their comforts. They ought, she says, to do everything they can to make the leisure hours of their servants as agreeable as possible.

Evening head-dresses are really hardly more than a lot of rosettes of proportions that quite cover their foundation. In general the shape is a triangle or crescent with a big rosette at each of the side corners, another in front and then a flare of lace, an aigrette or an ornament rises perkily from the whole.

Most of the principal stones now worn have their significance. Sapphire, as "heavenly thoughts;" diamonds, as "repentance," "innocence," "light," "purity," "life and joy." Emeralds denote success in love, faith, victory and immortality. There is a great diversity of opinion as to the meaning of the opal; while some consider it portends good fortune and hope, others deem it unlucky. The turquoise denotes success and numerous friends; the pearl, purity, innocence, humility and tears; while the amethyst signifies sobriety and temperance. Many of the more precious stones were considered by the ancients to have a particular signification and every month was supposed to be under the influence of one of them. The following meanings are most generally accepted: January, garnet, constancy, and fidelity in every engagement; February, amethyst, sincerity; March, bloodstone, courage, wisdom and firmness in affection; April, sapphire and diamond, repentance and innocence; May, emerald, discovers false friends and insures true love; June, agate, insures long life, health and prosperity; July, ruby and cornelian, discovers poison and content; August, sardonyx, conjugal felicity; September, chrysolite, against madness; October, opal, hope; November, topaz, fidelity and friendship, prevents bad dreams; December, turquoise, prosperity in love.

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Aside from the drawing qualities of the star, the selection of plays alone will insure crowded houses. Oakland play-goers are critical as a rule, and for that reason they are ever ready to do homage to genuine genius and dramatic merit.

Mr. Keene has always been looked upon as an eminent tragedian, whose versatility and power are wonderful. His development into strength and intensity. He has become an actor of detail, which, coupled with his robust strength, his thorough conception of the different roles, his excellent elocution and natural ability, stamps him as one of the greatest delineators of Shakesperian characters. Mr. Keene is an actor of the robust school, but his work is not characterized by that impetuosity which detracts from the portrayal of many stars—he does not overdo the part. While his stormy passages are clothed with force and intensity that at once thrill the auditor, there is no ranting. His own personality is lost in the part he essays, and it is not difficult to see that his whole heart is in his work.

*Thomas Keene as "Shylock" in the "Merchant of Venice."*

Each play will have a complete scenic production. Keene is supported by an efficient company. The sale of seats is unusually large, which indicates a good and prosperous engagement. This attraction is given at popular prices.

### The People's.

Charles Thornton will close a successful two weeks' engagement at the People's on Sunday evening. During the week *Trust for Trust*, a romantic drama of the War of the Revolution, has been received with favor, and, notwithstanding inclement weather, has attracted good audiences to the popular little playhouse.

The holiday week, commencing next Monday night, will be marked by the production in an unsurpassed manner of the beautiful spectacular burlesque *Aladdin, or the Wonderful Lamp*. The charming fairy story will be depicted in song and dialogue, with a background of most magnificent scenic effects rivaling anything ever before attempted in this theater.

Manager Wilkins has made extraordinary preparations for the staging of the spectacle. For several weeks past a large force of scene painters and stage mechanics have been employed day and night upon the work. The result of these labors will be shown Monday night when the curtain will rise upon pictures of Oriental beauty, enhanced to the highest degree by the skillful handiwork of scenic artists and mechanics. No expense has been spared to give to the production the most gorgeous treatment which can be devised.

The stage settings will be resplendent with color and rich effects, and the host of characters will be costumed in a manner only equaled by the scenic surroundings. In every particular of the staging of the burlesque money and time have been freely expended. Besides the special attention which has been given the magnificent dressing of the piece, both as to scenery and costumes, no efforts have been spared to secure the best of talent to fill the cast. In this connection the production will be on a par with anything ever shown in Oakland. The cast of characters will include many clever people who have been secured from the East, besides others whose work is favorably known to Oakland theater goers. The leading roles will be assumed by Miss Nellie Page and Miss Laura White, two charming and talented actresses, who will do full justice to their parts. Oliver C. Patten, a well-known comedian of high rank, Louis Wood, Charles Howard, N. Delmatta, Maurice Stewart, Carl Hubert, Charles Stanley, John Leonard, Miss Belle Nora, Lizzie Francis, Eleanor Keah, Fannie Parker, Dollie Easton and others are also in the bill.

The production will be under the direction of the veteran stage manager, R. C. White, whose qualifications insure a perfect and smooth performance from the beginning.

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The advance sale has already commenced, and promises to demand that early application be made for good seats. Special holiday week matinees will be given on Christmas Day and Saturday afternoons.

### The Oriental.

In Turkey it was not uncommon once to put a woman in a sack. After that she was prepared for the Coroner. Oristo, at the Oriental Theater, puts a woman in a sack and in five seconds takes her place, while she enters from the wings. This is a mystery that startles as does Al Williams painting a mill and, when finished the wheel beginning to revolve. Barko Brothers and Mike, their learned donkey, have made a decided hit, as has Rose Southern and Pepita, the beautiful dancers. The programme as a whole is excellent.

### The Baldwin.

At the Baldwin Theater all next week the extravaganza *Aladdin Jr.*, will be produced. During the past week it has attracted the greatest attention, crowded houses witnessing the performance nightly. Everybody has pronounced it a spectacle never excelled on the stage in this section of the country.

### The California.

At the California Theater, next week, Miss Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman, will appear in the great piece *The Passport*. The play will be cast in an excellent manner.

### The Orpheum.

The management of the Orpheum is at a loss to know what to do with the crowds of people it will attract during the holidays. In fact, it is troubled in the same way almost every week, but it expects to be favored from now until the new year with a patronage which will test the capacity of the place. The bill for the next week will be the greatest ever put on the boards at this celebrated place of amusement, and is headed by the popular Lyman Yeaman—Titus, the charming singer who brought "Mollie Newell" to the coast.

### The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater, next week, Haverly's Minstrels will present their strongest bill. The closing feature will be a burlesque entitled *Alladin or the Wonderful lamp*, which is a travesty upon the extravaganza now at the Baldwin.

### Stockwell's.

During holiday week the stage at Stockwell's will be occupied with *The Waifs of New York*. This, in effect, is the story of little Red Riding Hood in real life and will be presented with gorgeous romantic pictures and great sensational effects. The comedy role will be assumed by Leonard Grover Jr.

### The Tivoli.

At the popular place of amusement, next week, the great operatic spectacle *Lalla Rookh*, with its gorgeous Oriental coloring, costumes and imagery, first outlined in glowing verses by Tom Moore, "the poet of all circles," will be produced. It will be a beautiful piece for the holidays.

### Morosco's.

At Morosco's Grand Opera House, next week, the stage will be occupied by that grand melodrama, *The Silver King*. This is one of the finest pieces of its kind ever written and will be produced with a fine cast.

### Bush Street Theater.

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### A Large Fortune Quickly Lost.

Among reverses of fortune perhaps the strangest is that of the Duchess Santonna, who has just died in Madrid in the greatest poverty. Eight years ago she possessed a fortune of $4,000,000. A number of lawsuits were commenced against her by her relatives, absorbing a large part of this. Another large amount went in charity, and the remainder went trying to place the Bourbon family on the throne. A story is told of the Duchess which illustrates her kindness of heart. Hearing that a lady, a member of a very old Spanish family, was in great need, and wished to sell jewelry to the amount of $200,000, the Duchess de Santonna sent her check for that amount. When the jewelry reached her she returned it, saying she did not want it, and was glad to have been of some service.

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# A REVERIE.

## F. M. Campbell Recalls an Almost Forgotten Past.

## The High School Dedication of September, 1871.

## Prominent Men of That Day Now Nearly All at Rest.

OAKLAND, Thursday Evening, December 20, 1894.

*Editor Tribune*—SIR: Today, by the polite invitation of Superintendent McClymonds, I attended the dedication exercises of the new High School building, occupying a seat upon the platform with the speakers, School Directors and special guests of the day.

Finding myself tonight in a sort of reminiscent mood, induced by the events of the day, I propose to try and put into some kind of form the train of thoughts thus started, for you to publish if it shall be found fitting.

As I sat there today and listened to the interesting exercises, there was mingled with my enjoyment of the gladness, the congratulations, the pleasures of the occasion, an unwonted feeling of sadness. Quite irresistibly my thoughts wandered back over what, in retrospection, seem but a very brief space of time to another occasion exactly similar in character to this one, held in a building on the same street and removed but a short distance from the one in which we were then assembled. I refer to the dedication exercises held on the 16th day of September, 1871, in the building at the corner of Twelfth and Market streets, from which the High school is soon to move into its new and commodious quarters.

In imagination I was again surrounded by the forms, once more heard the familiar voices and felt anew the inspiring influence of the enthusiasm of those who, either actively or by their presence in their official capacity, assisted in the exercises of that day, and who have since passed over the dark and silent river.

As I looked toward the presiding officer of today, in my mind's eye I saw standing behind his chair—an approving smile irradiating his sad but kindly face, his hand uplifted as with a benediction and a blessing—the tall, slender, stately form of the revered president of that other day, Rev. Laurentine Hamilton. Quiet and unostentatious with the modesty of a genuine scholarship, brave as a lion in defense of principle, yet tenderly sympathetic as a woman, his memory is green in hearts of all who know him.

While listening to the words of wisdom and of eloquence as they fell in rich cadences and faultless utterance from the lips of the distinguished orator of today, there came unbidden—echoing back through my brain and through my heart—the thrilling tones, laden with very pearls of thought, of the orator of that other day—him of masterful speech and infinite jest, the brilliant scholar and profound jurist—John B. Felton. He, too, is gone; gone in the full tide of his powers, his usefulness and his renown, to take his place in the silent chambers of the dead.

With the final sweet notes of "The Last Rose of Summer," so charmingly rendered today still lingering in my ears, I again saw the feagle form of California's sweetest singer, our own loved Edward R. Sill, stand modestly forth upon the platform, his pale, thoughtful, classic face lighted as of old by those wondrous luminous eyes, while he held us, as on that other day, charmed and spellbound by the tender reading of his poem, "From the Schoolhouse window." Cut off in the morning of life, his gentle spirit still sheds its kind influence through his verses, all too few, which we still may read.

He, too, of graceful speech and ready learning, the active and efficient pioneer friend of the higher education in California, the honest lawyer, able statesman, loyal and good citizen, Edward Tompkins, has for me again today, as on that other day, charmed the ear and pleased the mind with words of wisdom, of wit and of timely import.

And still they came. A model and an exemplar of intelligent business methods, strictest personal integrity and conscientious devotion to duty all carried into public position and there exercised solely for the public good, again appeared to my mind the chairman of the Committee on Schoolhouses and Sites, in the person of the lamented George W. Armes, to give an account of his stewardship, to the minutest detail and the ultimate dollar of expenditure, as the one under whose careful, exacting and gratuitous inspection the building had been planned and erected.

Is it any wonder, then, that as I sat there today and thus mentally called the roll of those who actively participated in the dedication exercises of that other similar occasion, and, continuing it with the names of the School Directors who sat with me on that platform—Dr. R. E. Cole, William Bartling, A. W. Swett, E. W. Playter—and the silent responses came with unrelieved monotony—lead! dead! dead!—is it any wonder, I ask, that a tinge of sadness colored for me the pleasures of this occasion? Is it any wonder, if—

"When I remember all
The friends, so linked together,
I've seen around me fall
Like leaves in wintry weather,
I feel like one who treads, alone,
Some banquet hall, deserted,
Whose lights are fled, whose garlands, dead,
And all but he departed!"

Indeed, I doubt if on the platform or in the hall today, was one person beside Mr. McChesney and myself, who was on the crowded platform at the former dedication.

Is it unfitting—on the contrary is it not eminently fitting, that amid the cheer and festivities of this occasion, amid the congratulations of this important epoch in the educational life of Oakland, we should pause for a brief moment to recall thankfully the names, and drop a tear to the memory, of those who have gone before; whose intelligent thought and earnest efforts were so freely given to the great cause; and whose works, living after them, we are but taking up and carrying on?

"There's rosemary, that's for remembrance;
and there is pansies, that's for thoughts."

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And now a word specially to the young people whom this shall reach.

I have said that, in retrospection, the time seems brief since the dedication of the old building—indeed, as I now write these words it seems to me but as yesterday—and yet it is twenty-three years, nearly a quarter of a century. To the young people who are now students in the schools—not one of whom was alive in 1871—how different looks the space of time from now till 1917, twenty-three years hence, from what the same length of time looks to the students of that other day, as now from middle life they look back to the occasion of which I speak. How long the time *appears* to those; how short they *know* it to be.

And right here let me make my contribution to the lessons of this occasion—of this hour; let me drop a seed thought into the minds of these young people. It is concerning no new theme. I shall express it in the trite injunction—Redeem the time! Redeem the time!

Take my word for it, my dear young friends—for well, too well I know of what I now most earnestly say to you—that it is far more dread ul, in looking back towards the eastern horizon of life from where its sunset glow is already falling across one's path, to face the gibbering ghosts of wasted days, the grinning spectres of neglected opportunities, than to struggle with the hideous conjurations of a nightmare. Remorse brings no relief.

"Of all sad words of tongue or pen
The saddest are these—it might have been."

The celebrated scholar and divine, Dr. Henry Drummond, once delivered an address to a large body of students at Northfield, Mass., which attracted widespread attention, and has since been published in book form and read with interest by hundreds of thousands of people. The book is entitled, "The Greatest Thing in the World," which greatest thing he demonstrates to be love.

Let me here call your attention to the most valuable thing in the world. First, let us see what it is not. It surely is not gold, or silver, or precious stones; for these are found richly stored in the hills, the gulches and the river-beds, and can be gathered, accumulated and hoarded by man. It is not sunshine; that freely floods the earth. It is not water; that gushes from the hills, leaps abundantly from the depths below at the call of man, descends from the overburdened clouds upon the just and unjust, and dances and leaps and sparkles and rushes in rivers to the sea. It is not air; that bountifully surrounds us on all sides, free to all and to spare. Even love itself is lavished upon us by father and mother, by brothers and sisters, by husband or wife or children, and by the Great All Father. It is none of these. It is *time*. So precious is time, that, unlike all other gifts to man, it is grudgingly "doled" out to him—doled out to him, second by second. But one second of time is ever our own. All else can be appropriated, accumulated, stored. But no potentate was ever so powerful, no man so rich, no syndicate or corporation so great, as to appropriate, control, or store time, to the extent of even two seconds. To all alike, to rich and poor, to young and old, it is dealt out equally, second by second. The option of profitable use or wasteful abuse of it, is left to each individual, with the knowledge that a second squandered and lost can never be regained. With startling rapidity is each individual patrimony of time diminishing—the final second will soon be exhausted. Appreciate its value, my dear young friends. Redeem the time! Redeem the time! FRED M. CAMPBELL.

What star shines so bright as the lustre about Dr. Price's Baking Powder? It's fame is fairly won.

## WHAT THEY DO,

### Interesting Statistics Regarding Oaklanders' Occupations.

A preliminary survey of the occupations of men in West Oakland, which term is locally understood to indicate the district west of Center street, shows the following results:

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| Employed by the railroad | 602 |
| Merchants, clerks, agents | 561 |
| Doctors, lawyers, clergymen | 47 |
| Carpenters | 266 |
| Mechanics other than carpenters | 267 |
| Laborers | 270 |
| Saloon and barkeepers | 43 |
| Sailors | 69 |
| Miners | 15 |
| Millers | 16 |
| Farmers | 8 |
| Students | 8 |
| Total | 2262 |

The survey was made by young people of the Second Congregational Church, under the direction of the pastor, Frank E. Hinckley.

## FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

### A Fine Festival to Be Given in West Oakland.

A procession of three street cars will bring the children of the two West Oakland Sunday schools to the Christmas Festival of sacred music and art in the First Congregational Church next Sunday afternoon. The genial manager of the Central Street Railway, W. K. Rudolph, has ordered three cars to be in readiness for the little hosts of happy ones at the West Oakland Southern Pacific station, two blocks from the Second Congregational Church. They will go by way of Twelfth street. Parents who wish to have their children hear the grand Christmas music of the orchestra and see the magnificent views which reproduce the work of the master painters of the Saviour should let the children arrive at the Second Congregational Church before ten minutes of 3 o'clock.

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

### DEEDS.

SATURDAY, December 22d.

F. C. Van Duzer to Arda F. Van Duzer, lot on south line of Bancroft way, 200 feet west from Ellsworth stree, west 50 by south 133, portion of lot 6, block 13, College Homestead, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney, to John Cooper, lot on west line of Fourth avenue, 225 feet south from Orchard avenue, south 100 by west 150, lots 9 and 10, block H, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

B. Kelsey to J. F. Knowles, 169 acres, being the northwest ¼ of section 28, township 2 south, range 3 east, Murray township, quitclaim; $10.

D. H. and Lizzie Sly to Virginia L. Willis, wife of O. J., lot on south line of Brockhurst street, 145.9 feet west from West, west 25 by south 100, portion of lot 22, College View tract, Oakland; $10.

F. J. and J. J. Bucher to John Breen, lot on north line of Thirtieth street, 32 feet west from Linden, north 75, west 50, north 25, east 82, south 100, west 32 to beginning, being lot 27 and portion of lots 28 and 29, block 69, Glascock tract, Oakland; $2977.

O. L. and M. G. Denson to Frances G. Baker, wife of G. G., lot on west line of Wayne avenue, at the common corner of lots 7 and 8, block A, Peralta Heights, thence west 75.57 feet, south 112.68, east to west line of Wayne avenue, north to beginning, being the east portion of lot 7, block A, Peralta Heights, East Oakland, quitclaim; $5.

Frederick Elliot to Julius Cohn and Aaron Jacobs, lot on south line of East Sixteenth street, 105 feet east from Thirteenth avenue, south 90 by west 105, being the north 40 feet of lots 21 to 24 and north 10 feet of the west 5 feet of lot 29, block 65, Clinton, subject to a mortgage for $1000, East Oakland; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Lars H. and Wilhelm Dittmann, lot on east line of Tenth street, 239.11 feet south from Channing way, south 35 by east 155, being lot 32 and north 10 feet of lot 31, block 108, corrected map Avery tract, Berkeley; $5.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to John W. McDermott, lot on north line of Russell street, 175.15 feet east from Grove, east 80, north 113.22, west 80, south 113.37 to beginning, being lots 25 and 26, block 29, Shattuck tract, map 5, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney to Clara M. Adair, Abbie S. and Ida M. Brown, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 100 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 110, being lot 9, block G, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Same to William H. Adair, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 150 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 110, being lot 13, block G, same; $10.

M. J. and J. W. Laymance to V. P. Mitchels, lot on south line of Walter avenue, 50 feet east from Beach street, east 50 by south 172.50, being lots 25 and 26, block V, amended map Moss tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

George Rea to Charles and Louisa Schottman, 5.75 acres, beginning at the southeast corner of Antonio Cerdezo's 6.15 acre tract, thence northeast 7.65 chains, southeast .37 of a chain, southeast 5.12 chains, southeast 8.01 chains, northwest 7.55 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

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### Keep Your Feet Right.

Madam Parlow from New York is attracting great attention at her quarters, room 15, Macdonough Theater, where she is daily giving people treatment for the feet. She removes corns, bunions, ingrowing nails, and does it in the most satisfactory manner. Her office hours are from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. and on Sundays from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

### Died at the Infirmary.

Emma Benn, aged 11 years, native of Persia, and wife of W. P. Benn of Ashland, Or., died December 19th.

William Dugan, aged 58 years, a native of Ireland, died December 18th.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrices, at the office of Snook & Church, room 3, Courthouse, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

MARIA S. FURTER,
EMMA MARIA FURTER,
Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 18, 1894.

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## Excellent Repertoire of Plays for Keene.

### A Holiday Entertainment at the People's.

### First-Class Vaudeville Is Staged at the Oriental.

Thomas W. Keene, the great American tragedian will open his brief engagement at the Macdonough, consisting of three nights and Christmas matinee, next Monday. He has selected from his repertoire four of his best plays, viz: Monday, *Othello*; Christmas matinee, *Merchant of Venice*; Tuesday evening, *Richard III*, and for his farewell performance on Wednesday, *Hamlet*.

Aside from the drawing qualities of the star, the selection of plays alone will insure crowded houses. Oakland play-goers are critical as a rule, and for that reason they are ever ready to do homage to genuine genius and dramatic merit.

Mr. Keene has always been looked upon as an eminent tragedian, whose versatility and power are wonderful. His develops into strength and intensity. He has become an actor of detail, which, coupled with his robust strength, his thorough conception of the different roles, his excellent self-training and natural ability, stamps him as one of the greatest delineators of Shakespearian characters. Mr. Keane is an actor of the robust school, but his work is not characterized by that impetuosity which detracts from the portrayal of many stars—he does not overdo the part. While his stormy passages are clothed with force and intensity that at once thrill the auditor, there is no ranting. His own personality is lost in the part he essays, and it is not difficult to see that his whole heart is in his work.

*Thomas Keene as "Shylock" in the "Merchant of Venice."*

Each play will have a complete scenic production. Keene is supported by an efficient company. The sale of seats is unusually large, which indicates a good and prosperous engagement. This attraction is given at popular prices.

**The People's.**

Charles Thornton will close a successful two weeks' engagement at the People's on Sunday evening. During the week *Tried for Treason*, a romantic drama of the War of the Revolution, has been received with favor, and, notwithstanding inclement weather, has attracted good audiences to the popular little playhouse.

The holiday week, commencing next Monday night, will be marked by the production in an unsurpassed manner of the beautiful spectacular burlesque *Aladdin, or the Wonderful Lamp*. The charming fairy story will be depicted in song and dialogue, with a background of most magnificent scenic effects rivaling anything ever before attempted in this theater.

Manager Wilkins has made extraordinary preparations for the staging of the spectacle. For several weeks past a large force of scene painters and stage mechanics have been employed day and night upon the work. The result of these labors will be shown Monday night when the curtain will rise upon pictures of Oriental beauty, enhanced to the highest degree by the skillful handiwork of scenic artists and mechanics. No expense has been spared to give to the production the most gorgeous treatment which can be devised.

The stage settings will be resplendent with color and rich effects, and the host of characters will be costumed in a manner only equaled by the scenic surroundings. In every particular of the staging of the burlesque money and time have been freely expended. Besides the special attention which has been given the magnificent dressing of the piece, both as to scenery and costumes, no efforts have been spared to secure the best of talent to fill the cast. In this connection the production will be on a par with anything ever shown in Oakland. The cast of characters will include many clever people who have been secured from the East, besides others whose work is favorably known to Oakland theater goers. The leading roles will be assumed by Miss Nellie Page and Miss Laura White, two charming and talented actresses, who will do full justice to their parts. Oliver G. Patten, a well-known comedian of high rank, Louis Wood, Charles Howard, N. Delmatta, Maurice Stewart, Carl Hubert, Charles Stanley, John Leonard, Miss Belle Nora, Lizzie Francis, Eleanor Kean, Fannie Parker, Dollie Easton and others are also in the bill.

The production will be under the direction of the veteran stage manager, R. C. White, whose qualifications insure a perfect and smooth performance from the beginning.

Beautiful music, hosts of pretty girls in dances, marches and stage pictures; many new specialties, including daring acrobatic feats, all the latest songs; all these will go to complete one of the finest attractions ever presented in Oakland.

In the line of specialties, the attractions will include John Leonard, the champion clog dancer of the world; the Leonis, aerialists, in their wonderful and daring feats on the flying rings; Charles Stanley, the phenomenal wire walker; John Rand, the world-famed clown, whose original antics have convulsed thousands with laughter; Fannie Parker, in her beautiful Spanish dances, and many others. Ample amusement both for children and adults will be furnished.

The advance sale has already commenced, and promises to demand that early application be made for good seats. Special holiday week matinees will be given on Christmas Day and Saturday afternoons.

**The Oriental.**

In Turkey it was not uncommon once to put a woman in a sack. After that she was prepared for the Coroner. Oristo, at the Oriental Theater, puts a woman in a sack and in five seconds takes her place, while she enters from the wings. This is a mystery that startles as does Al Williams painting a mill and, when finished the wheel beginning to revolve. Burke Brothers and Mike, their learned donkey, have made a decided hit, as has Rose Southern and Poplin, the beautiful dancer. The programme as a whole is excellent.

**The Baldwin.**

At the Baldwin Theater all next week the great extravaganza *Aladdin Jr.*, will be produced. During the past week it has attracted the greatest attention, crowded houses witnessing the performance nightly. Everybody has pronounced it a spectacle never excelled on the stage in this section of the country.

**The California.**

At the California Theater, next week, Miss Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman, will appear in the great piece *The Passport*. The play will be cast in an excellent manner.

**The Orpheum.**

The management of the Orpheum is at a loss to know what to do with the crowds of people it will attract during the holidays. In fact, it is troubled in the same way almost every week, but it expects to be favored from now until the new year with a patronage which will test the capacity of the place. The bill for the next week will be the greatest ever put on the boards at this celebrated place of amusement, and is headed by the popular Lydia Yeaman-Titus, the charming singer who brought "Mollie Newell" to the coast.

**The Alcazar.**

At the Alcazar Theater, next week, Haverly's Minstrels will present their strongest bill. The closing feature will be a burlesque entitled *A-lad-in or the Wonderful lamp*, which is a travesty upon the extravaganza now at the Baldwin.

**Stockwell's!**

During holiday week the stage at Stockwell's will be occupied with *The Wolves of New York*. This, in effect, is the story of Little Red Riding Hood in real life and will be presented with gorgeous romantic pictures and great sensational effects. The comedy role will be assumed by Leonard Grover Jr.

**The Tivoli.**

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George C. Smith, the husband of the "trumpet medium," Mary Smith, was the last witness called in the Lemon will contest yesterday afternoon. He testified that Mrs. Lemon was of sound mind. Mr. Smith declared that Mrs. Lemon had never informed him that she had received spirit messages from Dr. Valentine Mott. "She told me," said the witness, "that she loved Dr. Mott better than any of her husbands. She never said, however, that he had a mansion prepared for her in the other world."

The trial was continued until next Wednesday, when Mrs. Smith will be called as a witness.

**A Large Fortune Quickly Lost.**

Among reverses of fortune perhaps the strangest is that of the Duchess Santonna, who has just died in Madrid in the greatest poverty. Eight years ago she possessed a fortune of $4,000,000. A number of lawsuits were commenced against her by her relatives, absorbing a large part of this. Another large amount went in charity, and the remainder went trying to place the Bourbon family on the throne. A story is told of the Duchess which illustrates her kindness of heart. Hearing that a lady, a member of a very old Spanish family, was in great need, and wished to sell jewelry to the amount of $200,000, the Duchess de Santonna sent her check for that amount. When the jewelry reached her she returned it, saying she did not want it, and was glad to have been of some service.


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# A REVERIE.

## F. M. Campbell Recalls an Almost Forgotten Past.

### The High School Dedication of September, 1871.

### Prominent Men of That Day Now Nearly All at Rest.

OAKLAND, Thursday Evening, December 20, 1894.

*Editor Tribune*—SIR: Today, by the polite invitation of Superintendent McClymonds, I attended the dedication exercises of the new High School building, occupying a seat upon the platform with the speakers, School Directors and special guests of the day.

Finding myself tonight in a sort of reminiscent mood, induced by the events of the day, I propose to try and put into some kind of form the train of thoughts thus started, for you to publish if it shall be found fitting.

As I sat there today and listened to the interesting exercises, there was mingled with my enjoyment of the gladness, the congratulations, the pleasures of the occasion, an unwonted feeling of sadness. Quite irresistibly my thoughts wandered back over what, in retrospection, seemed but a very brief space of time to another occasion exactly similar in character to this one, held in a building on the same street and removed but a short distance from the one in which we were then assembled. I refer to the dedication exercises held on the 16th day of September, 1871, in the building at the corner of Twelfth and Market streets, from which the High school is soon to move into its new and commodious quarters.

In imagination I was again surrounded by the forms, once more heard the familiar voices and felt anew the inspiring influence of the enthusiasm of those who, either actively or by their presence in their official capacity, assisted in the exercises of that day, and who have since passed over the dark and silent river.

As I looked toward the presiding officer of today, in my mind's eye I saw standing behind his chair—in approving smile irradiating his sad but kindly face, his hand uplifted as with a benediction and a blessing—the tall, slender, stately form of the revered president of that other day, Rev. Laurentine Hamilton. Quiet and unostentatious with the modesty of a genuine scholarship, brave as a lion in defense of principle, yet tenderly sympathetic as a woman, his memory is green in hearts of all who knew him.

While listening to the words of wisdom and of eloquence as they fell in rich cadence and faultless utterance from the lips of the distinguished orator of today, there came unbidden—echoing back through my brain and through my heart—the thrilling tones, laden with very pearls of thought, of the orator of that other day—him of masterful speech and infinite jest, the brilliant scholar and profound jurist—John B. Felton. He, too, is gone; gone in the full tide of his powers, his usefulness and his renown, to take his place in the silent chambers of the dead.

With the final sweet notes of "The Last Rose of Summer," so charmingly rendered today still lingering in my ears, I again saw the fragile form of California's sweetest singer, our own loved Edward R. Sill, stand modestly forth upon the platform, his pale, thoughtful, classic face lighted as of old by those wondrous luminous eyes, while he held us, as on that other day, charmed and spellbound by the tender reading of his poem, "From the Schoolhouse window." Cut off in the morning of life, his gentle spirit still sheds its kind influence through his verses, all too few, which we still may read.

He, too, of graceful speech and ready learning, the active and efficient pioneer friend of the higher education in California, the honest lawyer, able statesman, loyal and good citizen, Edward Tompkins, has for me again today, as on that other day, charmed the ear and pleased the mind with words of wisdom, of wit and of timely import.

And still they came. A model and an exemplar of intelligent business methods, strictest personal integrity and conscientious devotion to duty all carried into public position and there exercised solely for the public good, again appeared to my mind the chairman of the Committee on Schoolhouses and Sites, in the person of the lamented George W. Armes, to give an account of his stewardship, to the minutest detail and the ultimate dollar of expenditure, as the one under whose careful, exacting and gratuitous inspection the building had been planned and erected.

Is it any wonder, then, that as I sat there today and thus mentally called the roll of those who actively participated in the dedication exercises of that other similar occasion, and, continuing it with the names of the School Directors who sat with me on that platform—Dr. R. E. Cole, William Bartling, A. W. Swett, E. W. Playter—and the silent responses came with unrelieved monotony—dead! dead! dead!—is it any wonder, I ask, that a tinge of sadness colored for me the pleasures of this occasion? Is it any wonder, if—

"When I remember all
The friends, so linked together,
I've seen around me fall
Like leaves in wintry weather,
I feel like one who treads, alone,
Some banquet hall, deserted,
Whose lights are fled, whose garlands, dead,
And all but he departed?"

Indeed, I doubt if on the platform or in the hall today, was one person beside Mr. McChesney and myself, who was on the crowded platform at the former dedication.

Is it unfitting—on the contrary is it not eminently fitting, that amid the cheer and festivities of this occasion, amid the congratulations of this important epoch in the educational life of Oakland, we should pause for a brief moment to recall thankfully the names, and drop a tear to the memory, of those who have gone before; whose intelligent thought and earnest efforts were so freely given to the great cause; and whose works, living after them, we are but taking up and carrying on?

"There's rosemary, that's for remembrance;
and there is pansies, that's for thoughts."

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And now a word specially to the young people whom this shall reach.

I have said that, in retrospection, the time seems brief since the dedication of the old building—indeed, as I now write these words it seems to me but as yesterday—and yet it is twenty-three years, nearly a quarter of a century. To the young people who are now students in the schools—not one of whom was alive in 1871—how different looks the space of time from now till 1917, twenty-three years hence, from what the same length of time looks to the students of that other day, as now from middle life they look back to the occasion of which I speak. How long the time *appears* to those; how short those *know* it to be.

And right here let me make my contribution to the lessons of this occasion—of this hour; let me drop a seed thought into the minds of these young people. It is concerning no new theme. I shall express it in the trite injunction—Redeem the time! Redeem the time!

Take my word for it, my dear young friends—for well, too well I know of what I now most earnestly say to you—that it is far more dreadful, in looking back towards the eastern horizon of life from where its sunset glow is already fading across one's path, to face the gibbering ghosts of wasted days, the grinning spectres of neglected opportunities, than to struggle with the hideous conjurations of a nightmare. Regrets are unavailing; remorse brings no relief.

"Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
The saddest are these—it might have been."

The celebrated scholar and divine, Dr. Henry Drummond, once delivered an address to a large body of students at Northfield, Mass., which attracted widespread attention, and has since been published in book form and read with interest by hundreds of thousands of people. The book is entitled, "The Greatest Thing in the World," which greatest thing he demonstrates to be love.

Let me here call your attention to the most valuable thing in the world. First, let us see what it is not. It surely is not gold, or silver, or precious stones; for these are found richly stored in the hills, the gulches and the river-beds, and can be gathered, accumulated and hoarded by man. It is not sunshine; that freely floods the earth. It is not water; that gushes from the hills, leaps abundantly from the depths below at the call of man, descends from the overburdened clouds upon the just and unjust, and dances and leaps and sparkles and rushes in rivers to the sea. It is not air; that bountifully surrounds us on all sides, free to all and to spare. Even love itself is lavished upon us by father and mother, by brothers and sisters, by husband or wife or children, and by the Great All Father. It is none of these. It is *time*. So precious is time, that, unlike all other gifts to man, it is grudgingly "doled" out to him—doled out to him, second by second. But one second of time is ever our own. All else can be appropriated, accumulated, stored. But no potentate was ever so powerful, no man so rich, no syndicate or corporation so great, as to appropriate, control, or store time, to the extent of even two seconds. To all alike, to rich and poor, to young and old, it is dealt out equally, second by second. The option of profitable use or wasteful abuse of it, is left to each individual, with the knowledge that a second squandered and lost can never be regained. With startling rapidity is each individual patrimony of time diminishing—the final second will soon be exhausted. Appreciate its value, my dear young friends. Redeem the time! Redeem the time! FRED M. CAMPBELL.

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## WHAT THEY DO,

### Interesting Statistics Regarding Oaklanders' Occupations.

A preliminary survey of the occupations of men in West Oakland, which term is locally understood to indicate the district west of Center street, shows the following results:

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| Employed by the railroad | 692 |
| Merchants, clerks, agents | 561 |
| Doctors, lawyers, clergymen | 47 |
| Carpenters | 266 |
| Mechanics other than carpenters | 267 |
| Laborers | 270 |
| Saloon and barkeepers | 43 |
| Sailors | 60 |
| Miners | 15 |
| Millers | 10 |
| Farmers | 8 |
| Students | 8 |
| Total | 2262 |

The survey was made by young people of the Second Congregational Church, under the direction of the pastor, Frank E. Hinckley.

## FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

### A Fine Festival to Be Given in West Oakland.

A procession of three street cars will bring the children of the two West Oakland Sunday schools to the Christmas Festival of sacred music and art in the First Congregational Church next Sunday afternoon. The genial manager of the Central Street Railway, W. K. Rudolph, has ordered three cars to be in readiness for the little hosts of happy ones at the West Oakland Southern Pacific station, two blocks from the Second Congregational Church. They will go by way of Twelfth street. Parents who wish to have their children hear the grand Christmas music of the orchestra and see the magnificent views which reproduce the work of the master painters of the Saviour should let the children arrive at the Second Congregational Church before ten minutes of 3 o'clock.


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## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

### DEEDS.

SATURDAY, December 22d.

F. C. Van Duzer to Arda F. Van Duzer, lot on south line of Bancroft way, 200 feet west from Ellsworth street, west 50 by south 139, portion of lot 6, block 13, College Homestead, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney, to John Cooper, lot on west line of Fourth avenue, 225 feet south from Orchard avenue, south 100 by west 150, lots 9 and 10, block H, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

B. Kelsey to J. F. Knowles, 160 acres, being the northwest ¼ of section 28, township 2 south, range 3 east, Murray township, quitclaim; $10.

L. H. and Lizzie Sly to Virginia I. Willis, wife of O. J., lot on south line of Brockhurst street, 185.9 feet west from West, west 25 by south 100, portion of lot 22, College View tract, Oakland; $10.

F. J. and J. J. Bucher to John Breen, lot on north line of Thirteenth street, 32 feet west from Linden, north 75, west 50, north 25, east 82, south 100, west 32 to beginning, being lot 27 and portion of lots 28 and 29, block 660, Glascock tract, Oakland; $2037.

O. J. and M. G. Denison to Frances C. Baker, wife of G. G., lot on west line of Wayne avenue, at the common corner of lots 7 and 8, block A, Peralta Heights, thence west 78.57 feet, south 112.68, east to west line of Wayne avenue, north to beginning, being the east portion of lot 7, block A, Peralta Heights, East Oakland, quitclaim; $5.

Frederick Elliot to Julius Cohn and Aaron Jacobs, lot on south line of East Sixteenth street, 105 feet east from Thirteenth avenue, south 40 by west 105, being the north 40 feet of lots 21 to 24 and north 40 feet of the west 5 feet of lot 20, block 65, Clinton, subject to a mortgage for $1000, East Oakland; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Lars H. and Vilhelm Dittmann, lot on east line of Tenth street, 230.41 feet south from Channing way, south 25 by east 135, being lot 32 and north 10 feet of lot 31, block 138, corrected map Avery tract, Berkeley; $5.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to John W. McDermott, lot on north line of Russell street, 175.15 feet east from Grove, east 80, north 131.22, west 80, south 131.37 to beginning, being lots 25 and 26, block 20, Shattuck tract, map 5, Berkeley; $10.

G. M. Dameron, by attorney, to Clara M. Adair, Abbie S. and Ida M. Brown, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 100 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 100, being lot 9, block G, Stone tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Same to William H. Adair, lot on north line of Orchard avenue, 150 feet west from Fourth avenue, west 50 by north 110, being lot 10, block G, same; $10.

M. J. and J. W. Laymance to V. P. Mitchels, lot on south line of Walter avenue, 80 feet east from Branch street, east 82 by south 152.50, being lots 25 and 26, block V, amended map Moss tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

George Rau to Charles and Louisa Schottman, 5.65 acres, beginning at the southeast corner of Antonio Cordozo's 6.45 acre tract, thence northeast 7.63 chains, southeast .57 of a chain, southeast 3.12 chains, southeast 8.04 chains, northwest 7.55 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.


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**Died at the Infirmary.**

Emma Benn, aged 44 years, native of Peru, and wife of W. P. Benn of Ashland, Or., died December 19 h.

William Dugan, aged 55 years, a native of Ireland, died December 18 h.


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MARIA S. FURTER,
EMMA MARIA FURTER,
Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

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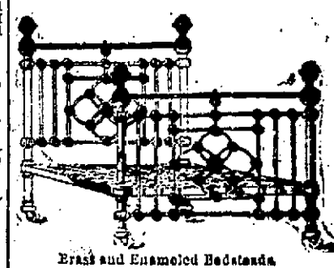

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# SAW HIM.

## Rae's Friends to the Front.

## Efforts to Sustain the Alibi.

### The Suspect Worked on the Reeves Ranch.

### George Campbell Tells a Tale for the Defense.

The examination of George Rae charged with the Judson robbery was resumed this morning before Judge Shaw, the first witness, George Campbell, of San Jose, appearing for the defendant.

Witness testified that he went to work for the San Jose Dairy Company, May 29, 1892. Knew George Reeves, slept in his barn, knew all the men who worked for Reeves and they also slept in that barn. Witness identified the defendant as a man who worked on Reeves' ranch in San Jose, the first part of May, 1892. The witness left the ranch on the 28th of May and up to that time, Rae was in the employ of Reeves. He had a drink with Rae in a saloon in San Jose on Saturday, June 11, 1892.

On cross-examination he said he has been working for his brother since the first of March of this year. He remained in the employ of the dairy company from May till October 1, 1892. He then went back to work for Rucker and remained there eleven days and then returned to the dairy company. Saw the defendant about 2 o'clock upon June 11, 1892. Witness said he believed the defendant had left the Rucker ranch about noon on the day referred to, but could not swear to the fact. Had two drinks of steam beer with the defendant. Remembered the date because it was the second Saturday after witness went to work for the dairy company.

He was asked how he remembered that it was the second Saturday of June, and replied that he could not tell, but was satisfied that it was a Saturday any way. He was asked if there was any circumstance which enabled him to fix the hour and day of meeting Rae, and replied that there was not.

He said he could not remember all that kind of "monkey business" suggested by the questions of the Assistant District Attorney. He said he had looked up a card showing the date he had gone to work for the dairy company. The card was found in an old coat. He looked over the card last night, but destroyed it.

The witness seemed to be determined to insist that it was the 11th of June, 1892, that he had met the defendant, but could give no satisfactory reasons for his recollection. His manner of telling his story was against him and the questions put to him by Mr. Church tended to annoy him a great deal.

He was asked whether or not he had told Attorney Aldrich this morning that he wanted to have nothing to do with the case and, after a great deal of hesitancy, admitted that he did not know whether or not he had spoken to the attorney in question on the subject. Mr. Aldrich objected to this question, but the answer was allowed notwithstanding.

After a long and tedious cross-examination witness finally admitted that he had no independent recollection of the date in question being the 11th of June, 1892, but that he relied upon the fact that he had been told by Mr. Reeves that that was the day.

After the examination by the attorneys Judge Shaw elicited from the witness the fact that when he came here he was expected to prove an alibi.

The case then went over till Monday next.

**The Week's Failures**

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports twenty-seven failures in the Pacific coast States and Territories for the week ending today, as compared with nineteen for the previous week, and eighteen for the corresponding week of 1893. The failures for the past week are divided among the trades as follows: Six saloons, five grocers, two butchers, two general stores, one hay and grain, one hotel, one publisher, one dry goods, one blacksmith, one cigars and tobacco, one restaurant, one florist, one confectionery, one millinery, one plumber and one variety.

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**Russian Proverbs.**
*Philadelphia Record.*

A Czar, if he were a leper, would be regarded as clean.

Even before a blind Czar one must bow.

A tear in the Czar's eye costs the country many handkerchiefs.

The Czar's voice has an echo even where there are no mountains.

When the Czar snuffs, the people sneeze.

The Czar also dies when his hour has come.

The Czar's crown does not protect him from the headache.

Even the Czar's ox has but two horns.

The Czar's arm is long, but it does not reach to heaven.

The Czar's ukase is worthless unless God says amen.

Even the Czar's back would bleed if it received the knout.

It is in vain even for a Czarowitz who is blind to become Czar; he will not see a whit better.

When the Czar dies even the muzhik would not change with him.

**A Suitable Christmas Present**

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**Gold Bars on the Street.**

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transshipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1472 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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**Gold, Silver & Nickel.**

Booth & Johnson, the electro platers, have just completed the removal of their works to 850 Broadway. By the location of this establishment Oakland has gained another link in the chain of enterprise and many will be glad to know that they can get any kind of Gold, Silver, Copper and Bronze plating done. They make a specialty of silverware, jewelry, car hose rails and lamps, chandeliers, window ands and brackets for glass showing.

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# SAW HIM.

## Rae's Friends to the Front.

## Efforts to Sustain the Alibi.

### The Suspect Worked on the Reeves Ranch.

### George Campbell Tells a Tale for the Defense.

The examination of George Rae charged with the Judson robbery was resumed this morning before Judge Shaw, the first witness, George Campbell, of San Jose, appearing for the defendant.

Witness testified that he went to work for the San Jose Dairy Company, May 29, 1892. Know George Reeves, slept in his barn, knew all the men who worked for Reeves and they also slept in that barn. Witness identified the defendant as a man who worked on Reeves' ranch in San Jose, the first part of May, 1892. The witness left the ranch on the 28th of May and up to that time, Rae was in the employ of Reeves. He had a drink with Rae in a saloon in San Jose on Saturday, June 11, 1892.

On cross-examination he said he has been working for his brother since the first of March of this year. He remained in the employ of the dairy company from May till October 1, 1892. He then went back to work for Rucker and remained there eleven days and then returned to the dairy company. Saw the defendant about 3 o'clock upon June 11, 1892. Witness said he believed the defendant had left the Rucker ranch about noon on the day referred to, but could not swear to the fact. Had two drinks of steam beer with the defendant. Remembered the date because it was the second Saturday after witness went to work for the dairy company.

He was asked how he remembered that it was the second Saturday of June, and replied that he could not tell, but was satisfied that it was a Saturday any way. He was asked if there was any circumstance which enabled him to fix the hour and day of meeting Rae, and replied that there was not.

He said he could not remember all that kind of "monkey business" suggested by the questions of the Assistant District Attorney. He said he had looked on a card showing the date he had gone to work for the dairy company. The card was found in an old coat. He looked over the card last night, but destroyed it.

The witness seemed to be determined to insist that it was the 11th of June, 1892, that he had met the defendant, but could give no satisfactory reasons for his recollection. His manner of telling his story was against him and the questions put to him by Mr. Church tended to annoy him a great deal.

He was asked whether or not he had told Attorney Aldrich this morning that he wanted to have nothing to do with the case and, after a great deal of hesitancy, admitted that he did not know whether or not he had spoken to the attorney in question on the subject. Mr. Aldrich objected to this question, but the answer was allowed notwithstanding.

After a long and tedious cross-examination witness finally admitted that he had no independent recollection of the date in question being the 11th of June, 1892, but that he relied upon the fact that he had been told by Mr. Reeves that that was the day.

After the examination by the attorneys Judge Shaw elicited from the witness the fact that when he came here he was expected to prove an alibi.

The case then went over till Monday next.

**The Week's Failures**

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports twenty-seven failures in the Pacific coast States and Territories for the week ending today, as compared with nineteen for the previous week, and eighteen for the corresponding week of 1893. The failures for the past week are divided among the trades as follows: Six saloons, five grocers, two butchers, two general stores, one hay and grain, one hotel, one publisher, one dry goods, one blacksmith, one cigars and tobacco, one restaurant, one florist, one confectionery, one millinery, one plumber and one variety.

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**Russian Proverbs.**
*Philadelphia Record.*

A Czar, if he were a leper, would be regarded as clean.

Even before a blind Czar one must bow.

A tear in the Czar's eye costs the country many handkerchiefs.

The Czar's voice has an echo even where there are no mountains.

When the Czar sneezes, the people sneeze.

The Czar also dies when his hour has come.

The Czar's crown does not protect him from the headache.

Even the Czar's ox has but two horns.

The Czar's arm is long, but it does not reach to heaven.

The Czar's ukase is worthless unless God says amen.

Even the Czar's back would bleed if it received the knout.

It is in vain even for a Czarowitz who is blind to become Czar; he will not see a whit better.

When the Czar dies even the muzhik would not change with him.

**A Suitable Christmas Present**

For any lady is a box of Lehhnardt's French candy. 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Solid comfort and a useful present is a Smoking Jacket. Largest and best assortment at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

**Gold Bars on the Street.**

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transshipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1572 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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**"My Cake is Dough."**

I did not use Sperry's Flour.

**Christmas.**

For the finest assortment of Holiday Candies, Christmas Tree Ornaments, Baskets, Imitations, Cap Bon Bons, Candies, Candle Holders, etc., etc., go to Reuter's, 1065 Broadway. Guess the weight of the Plum Pudding. Special rates made on candies to churches and Sunday school festivals.

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**Gold, Silver or Nickel.**

Booth & Johnson, the electro platers, have just completed the removal of their works to 576 Broadway. By the location of this establishment Oakland has gained another link in the chain of enterprise and many will be glad to know that they can get any kind of Gold, Silver, Copper and Bronze plating done. They make a specialty of silverware, jewelry, car logo rails and lamps, chandeliers, window ends and brackets for glass showing.

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The cost of public lighting, considering the area to be covered, is less per lamp, per year, than any city of its size, while the rates for commercial lighting, both arc and incandescent, are lower than any city on the coast, and no greater than the majority of cities in the Eastern States.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company has been the main factor in thus giving to the public the benefit of cheap lighting. As an example of the relative cost between arc lighting for commercial purposes in Oakland and that in San Francisco, the following will suffice as an example:

Stores in Oakland are lighted with a 2000 candle power arc lamp, burning every night, from one hour before sunset until 10 o'clock, and on Saturdays until 11 o'clock p. m., for $2, for each lamp per week. In San Francisco the price for a service extending only until 9 o'clock, and not at all on Sunday nights, is $3 per week. While the 12 o'clock lamps in Oakland are $2 75 each per week, those in San Francisco are $4 50.

The San Francisco papers have recently contained an article notifying the public that the rates for incandescent lamp service has again been reduced by the Edison Company 10 per cent. This latter reduction only brings their price down to what it has been for some time past in Oakland, and the Oakland company is contemplating a still further reduction.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company is now in a position to furnish incandescent lights to anyone for store or house purposes within the territory covered by First street on the south, Twentieth street on the north, Lake Merritt on the east and Center street on the west.

These incandescent lights can be furnished in any desired quantity, and will be lighted by the meter service, so that each consumer pays only for what he desires. The wiring to the house, is done by the company free of charge, and it is prepared to do inside wiring at the bare cost of material and labor.

The company have one of the best-equipped stations in the United States for arc or incandescent service, and in a short time will be prepared to furnish motors for power, and arc and incandescent service during the day. This service will place Oakland then on a par with any city.

In addition to the many stores on the principal streets now being lighted by incandescent lamps, the company is lighting the new [illegible] Building, the Unitarian Church, Hotel Metropole, Reliance Club building, Pacific Press, and the residence of Mr. Goodall on Jackson street.

The distance of the Pacific coast from the centers of manufacture of electrical machinery renders the cost here higher in proportion as a rule than in the Eastern States, while the absence of any coal beds producing good steam coal in the immediate vicinity of Oakland makes the cost of production of incandescent lights higher than in other places situated near a source of fuel supply, notwithstanding all of which Oakland, as has been stated before, is being served more cheaply than other cities more advantageously situated.

The recent large additions, involving an outlay of many thousands of dollars, to the plant of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company puts it in a position to render any kind of electric light service which may be demanded or desired by the city of Oakland.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals.

FLOUR—Net cash. Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ₩ bbl; superfine, $2 [illegible]; Bakers' extra, $[illegible].

WHEAT—No 1 shipping, $[illegible]; choice to fancy, [illegible]; good to choice White Milling, 92[illegible].

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No 1 [illegible]; Choice to fancy $1 02 [illegible]; Surprise, [illegible]; Milling, $1 02 [illegible]; Norway Black, [illegible]; Gray, 92[illegible]; Red, $1 07[illegible].

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 82[illegible]; No 1 Feed, 8[illegible]; extra choice, [illegible]; Brewing [illegible].

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 27½; Large yellow $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 2[illegible].

RYE—[illegible] ₩ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, [illegible] ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ₩ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1 $17@17 50, extra choice, $[illegible].

BUCKWHEAT—[illegible] ₩ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$[illegible] ₩ ton.

HOPS—[illegible] ₩ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 10@2 50; Small White, $2 [illegible]; Pink and Tree Beans, $2 2[illegible]; Butter, $1 [illegible]; Lima, $[illegible]; Red, $1 [illegible]; Pink $1 [illegible]; Bayo, $1 75 @1 90; Black eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red; Kidneys, [illegible] ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ₩ ctl, $2 25@2 40; mustard, [illegible]; Canary, [illegible] for California; [illegible]; Flax, [illegible]; Alfalfa, [illegible] for California and [illegible] for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, [illegible]; Clover, $[illegible]10 50; Wild Oat, $8 [illegible]10 50; Alfalfa $[illegible] 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@[illegible]; Tame Oat, $9@10 50; Barley, $6 50@[illegible]; stock, $[illegible]; Compressed, $[illegible]@12.

STRAW—[illegible] ₩ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUIT—Bananas, [illegible], $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx, ordinary, [illegible]; fancy, [illegible]; Pears, box, common, [illegible]; Mexican Limes, $[illegible] 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3; fancy, $[illegible]; Santa Barbara, [illegible], $[illegible]; Pineapples, dozen, $[illegible]; common $1@2; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl, $[illegible]; Persimmons, box, [illegible]; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 [illegible]@ 3 50; Seedlings, $1 25@[illegible]; Florida Oranges, $2 [illegible]; Tahiti Oranges, $2@2 50; Lady Apples $2@[illegible].

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, [illegible]; Garlic, lb, [illegible]; Cabbage, ctl, [illegible]; Cauliflower, doz, [illegible]; Parsnips, sk, $1 [illegible]; Turnips, [illegible]; Carrots, [illegible]; Tomatoes, [illegible]; Celery, doz, [illegible]; Green Peppers, bx, [illegible]; Los Angeles Green Peas, [illegible]; String Beans [illegible] 9c; Mushrooms, [illegible]; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, [illegible]; River Reds, [illegible]; Burbanks, River, [illegible]; Oregon, [illegible]; Salinas, [illegible]@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, [illegible]; New Potatoes, lb, [illegible].

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 10@60c ₩ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ₩ lb, sun dried, 4½ @[illegible]; evaporated, [illegible]; Apricots, bleached, [illegible]; Moorpark, [illegible]; sun dried, 5[illegible]@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, [illegible]; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, [illegible]; Plums pitted, [illegible]; unpitted, [illegible]; French Prunes, sks, [illegible] 60 to 70, [illegible] 70 to 80, [illegible] 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3[illegible]; boxes, [illegible]; ungraded, [illegible]; Pears, sliced, [illegible]; quartered, [illegible]; Figs, Smyrna, ₩ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, [illegible] ₩ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ₩ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 18@19c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 16@18c; firkin, new, 16@17c; dairy packed, [illegible], 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 33@38 30c; store, 21@25c; Eastern, 21@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ₩ lb, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 1[illegible]c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $3 50@4 00; young, $4 00@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4; broilers, large, $[illegible]; small, $2@3 50; Hens, doz, $[illegible]; Ducks, old, $4 50@5 50; young, $4 50@5 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 9@11c; Geese, pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ₩ doz; Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1; Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $3@[illegible]; Sprig, $1 50@1 75; Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 [illegible]@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50; White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25. Rabbits $1 25@1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25, do English, $2.

San Francisco Meat Market.

No particular change in any description. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5@5½; second quality, 4@4½c; third do, 3@3½c, ₩ lb.

VEAL—Large, 7@8c; small, 7c ₩ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 4½@5c; Ewes, 4@4½c ₩ lb.

LAMB—5½@6c ₩ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 3¾@[illegible]c for heavy and medium grain fed, and [illegible]c ₩ lb for small fat; dressed do, [illegible] ₩ lb.

## RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

| Produce and Poultry. | | |
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| Eggs, California, ₩ doz | $ 35 | @ 40 |
| Butter, choice, ₩ roll | 50 | @ 60 |
| Turkeys, ₩ lb | 13 | @ 14 |
| Chickens, broilers, apiece | 35 | @ 50 |
| Chickens, hens, apiece | 55 | @ 60 |
| Chickens, Roosters, apiece | 50 | @ 75 |
| Geese, apiece | 75 | @ 1 00 |
| **Vegetables and Fruit.** | | |
| Potatoes ₩ lb | [illegible] | @ 1 |
| Summer squash, ₩ lb | [illegible] | @ [illegible] |
| String Beans, ₩ lb | [illegible] | @ 7 |
| Tomatoes, ₩ lb | [illegible] | @ [illegible] |
| Strawberries, ₩ box | 50 | @ [illegible] |
| Raspberries | 50 | @ 10 |
| Green Apples, ₩ basket | 50 | @ 75 |
| Grapes, ₩ box | 75 | @ 1 00 |

## SETTLED THE CLAIM.

### The Railroad Company Pays Damages to Heirs.

Daniel Jackson was killed by the railroad train at West Berkeley last January. The deceased left a widow and two children and they filed a claim for damages against the Southern Pacific Company. Now the company has come to the conclusion that it is better to settle the claim than go into court. The mother of the minors has been offered $700 and she has accepted. She has now applied to the court to sanction her action.

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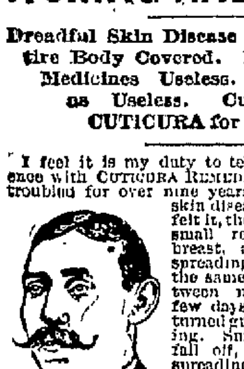

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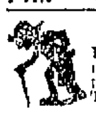

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| 5:25 P. M. | 4:20 P. M. |
| **SUNDAY TRAINS.** | |
| 9:25 A. M. | 9:15 A. M. |
| 10:25 A. M. | 10:15 A. M. |
| 12:25 P. M. | 12:15 P. M. |
| 1:55 P. M. | 1:45 P. M. |
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| Authorized Capital | $1,000,000 00 |
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| Deposits, Jan. 1, 1894, | 5,167,822 22 |

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| Leave SAN FRANCISCO, | 10:30 A. M. | Thursday |
| " LOS ANGELES, | 4:00 " | Friday |
| Arrive EL PASO, | 5:30 " | Saturday |
| " NEW ORLEANS, | 7:10 P. M. | Sunday |
| " NEW YORK, | 1:25 " | Tuesday |

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Trains leave and are due to arrive at
**OAKLAND PIER.**

| LEAVE. | FROM SEPT. 17, 1894. | ARRIVE. |
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| [illegible] A | Atlantic Express for Ogden and East | 8:10 A |
| 7:30 A | Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis | 6:15 P |
| 7:58 A | Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa | 5:50 P |
| 9:00 A | Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff | 3:15 P |
| 9:30 A | New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite) Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East | 5:10 P |
| 9:30 A | Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East | 10:10 A |
| 9:30 A | Martinez and Stockton | 10:10 A |
| †8:30 A | Peters and Milton | *6:52 P |
| 12:55 P | Niles, San Jose and Livermore | 8:15 A |
| 4:28 P | Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa | 8:50 A |
| 4:32 P | Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento | 10:20 A |
| 4:58 P | Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno | 6:52 P |
| 5:33 P | Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles | 10:10 A |
| 6:23 P | Haywards, Niles and San Jose | 7:15 A |
| 6:30 P | European Mail for Ogden and East | 9:20 A |
| †7:30 P | Vallejo | §7:20 P |
| 7:30 P | Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East | 10:20 A |

## NARROW GAUGE, 14th & FRANKLIN STS.

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| 8:15 A. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations | 5:11 P. |
| *2:15 P. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations | *11.14 A |
| 4:15 P. | Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos | 9:41 A. |
| §11.45 P. | Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations. | †7.59 P. |

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Coast Div trains going south. Passengers returning must change at San Jose to broad gauge train, via Niles, arriving Oakland, First and Broadway, 6:45 p. m. §Saturdays only.

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FROM FOURTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS, OAKLAND, TO SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:45, *6:15, *6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15, 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:45, 11:45 p. m.

FROM HIGH STREET, ALAMEDA, TO SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:32, *6:02, *6:32, 7:02, 7:32, 8:02, 8:32, 9:02, 9:32, 10:02, 10:32, 11:02, 11:32 a. m. 12:02, 12:32, 1:02, 1:32, 2:02, 2:32, 3:02, 3:32, 4:02, 4:32, 5:02, 5:32, 6:02, 6:32, 7:17, 8:17, 9:17, 10:34, 11:34 p. m.

CREEK ROUTE FERRY.

FROM OAKLAND, FOOT OF BROADWAY—*6:00, *7:00, 8:00, *9:00, 10:00 and *11:00 a. m. †12:00 *12:30, 2:00, *3:00, 4:00 and *5:00 p. m.
FROM SAN FRANCISCO, FOOT OF MARKET St. (SLIP 8)—*7:00, *8:00, 9:00, *10:00 and *11:00 a. m. *12:30, 11:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00 and *6:00 p. m.
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DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.
CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.
W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE,

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb.—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight tenths (4 8-10) per cent. per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.
LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.
JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.
ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.
C. E. PALMER,
Cashier.

LEGAL.

**Adjudication of Insolvency.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.
Order of adjudication of insolvency.
Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $800 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.
Dated December 12th, 1894.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed. Filed December 12, 1894.
JAMES E. CRANE,
County Clerk.
By N. G. STURTEVANT,
Deputy Clerk.

**Adjudication of Insolvency.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.
Order of adjudication of insolvency.
Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $[illegible], conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.
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Dated December 14th, 1894.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.
HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

**Application for Change of Name.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.
In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name.
To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, state of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows:
That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, state of California, over the age of twenty-one years.
That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.
That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.
That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin.
That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit: Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Herrscher sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California.
Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser.
Dated December 20, 1894.
LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.
JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No 217 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

**Notice to Creditors.**

*Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-Law, Mills Building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.
EBENEZER CARD,
Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.
Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

**Probate Notice.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California. No. 4130, Department I.
In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckhalter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 24th day of December A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated December 5, 1894.
JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.
By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.
SNOOK, FRICK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

**Probate Notice.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California. No. 4151, Department 1.
In the matter of the estate of Phidelia Watson, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Phidelia Watson, deceased, and for the issuance to Albert [illegible] of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the [illegible] day of December, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition; when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated December 12, 1894.
JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.
By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.
WM. & GEO. [illegible], Attorneys for Petitioner.

# CHEAP LIGHTS.

## Oakland the Most Favored City on the Coast.

### The Best Service Given at the Lowest Rates.

### Enterprise of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company.

Few, if any, of the residents of this city are aware of the fact that it is the best and cheapest lighted city, electrically, in the United States.

The cost of public lighting, considering the area to be covered, is less per lamp, per year, than any city of its size, while the rates for commercial lighting, both arc and incandescent, are lower than any city on the coast, and no greater than the majority of cities in the Eastern States.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company has been the main factor in thus giving to the public the benefit of cheap lighting. As an example of the relative cost between arc lighting for commercial purposes in Oakland and that in San Francisco, the following will suffice as an example:

Stores in Oakland are lighted with a 2000 candle power arc lamp, burning every night, from one hour before sunset until 10 o'clock, and on Saturdays until 11 o'clock p. m., for $2, for each lamp per week. In San Francisco the price for a service extending only until 9 o'clock, and not at all on Sunday nights, is $3 per week. While the 12 o'clock lamps in Oakland are $2 75 each per week, those in San Francisco are $1 50.

The San Francisco papers have recently contained an article notifying the public that the rates for incandescent lamp service has again been reduced by the Edison Company 10 per cent. This latter reduction only brings their price down to what it has been for some time past in Oakland, and the Oakland company is contemplating a still further reduction.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company is now in a position to furnish incandescent lights to anyone for store or house purposes within the territory covered by First street on the south, Twentieth street on the north, Lake Merritt on the east and Center street on the west.

These incandescent lights can be furnished in any desired quantity, and will be lighted by the meter service, so that each consumer pays only for what he desires. The wiring to the house, is done by the company free of charge, and it is prepared to do inside wiring at the bare cost of material and labor.

The company have one of the best-equipped stations in the United States for arc or incandescent service, and in a short time will be prepared to furnish motors for power, and arc and incandescent service during the day. This service will place Oakland then on a par with any city.

In addition to the many stores on the principal streets now being lighted by incandescent lamps, the company is lighting the new High School building, the Unitarian Church, Hotel Metropole, Reliance Club building, Pacific Press, and the residences of Mr. Goodall on Jackson street.

The distance of the Pacific coast from the centers of manufacture of electrical machinery renders the cost here higher in proportion as a rule than in the Eastern States, while the absence of any coal beds producing good steam coal in the immediate vicinity of Oakland makes the cost of production of incandescent lights higher than in other places situated near a source of fuel supply, notwithstanding all of which Oakland, as has been stated before, is being served more cheaply than other cities more advantageously situated.

The recent large additions, involving an outlay of many thousands of dollars, to the plant of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company puts it in a position to render any kind of electric light service which may be demanded or desired by the city of Oakland.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

**Cereals**

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ⅌ bbl; Superfine, $2 40@2 50; Bakers' extra, $3 40@3 50.

WHEAT—No. 1 shipping, 86¼@87½c; choice to fancy, 88¾c; good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1, 92½@95 c; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 05; Surprise, $1 05@1 10; Milling, $1 02½@1 07½; Norway Black, $1 20@1 30; Gray, 92½@97½c; Red, $1 07½@1 10.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 85@87½c; No. 1 Feed, 88¾@88¾c; extra choice, 90c; Brewing, 95@96c.

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 27½; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—95@97½c ⅌ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $11@12 ⅌ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ⅌ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50; extra choice, $18@19.

BUCKWHEAT—9 c@$1 ⅌ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$16@16 50 ⅌ ton.

HOPS—6@8c ⅌ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 15@2 30; Small White, $2 25@2 50; Bayou and Tree Beans, $2 25@2 50; Butter, $1 75@1 80; Lima, $1 10@1 20; Red, $1 65@1 80; Pink, $1 10@1 35; Bayou, $1 75@1 80; Black-eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $2@2 25 ⅌ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ⅌ ctl, $2 25@2 40; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 4@4½c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3½@4c; Flax, 50@1 75; Rape, 1½@2c; Timothy, 5@6c; Alfalfa, 7@9c for California and 12c@14c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $8@12; Clover, $8@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $8@11; Tame Oat, $9@10 50; Barley, $6 50@9; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@75c ⅌ bale.

**Fruits and Vegetables.**

FRUITS—Bananas, bch, $1 25@2 50; Apples, bx, ordinary, 25@50c; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears, box, common, 25@50c; Southern Limes, $3@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3; fancy, $4@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $1 50@5; Pineapples, dozen, $5@6; common $3@4; Cape Cod Cranberries, bbl, $11; Persimmons, box, 50@75c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 50@3 50; Seedlings, $1 25@2; Florida Oranges, $2 75@3; Loreto Oranges, $2@2 50; Lady Apples $2@2 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 75@85c; Garlic, lb, 3@3½c; Cabbage, ctl, 50@60c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@70c; Parsnips, sk, $1 10@1 25; Turnips, 6 c@70c; Carrots, 50@60c; Tomatoes, 25@50c; Celery, doz, 40@45c; Green Peppers, bx, 40@50c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@10c; String Beans 6@9c; Mushrooms, 7@12c; Rhubarb, bx, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 50@55c; River Reds, 50@55c; Burbanks, River, 50c@55c; Oregon, 50@75c; Salinas, 85c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@$1; New Potatoes, lb, 2@2½c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 40@60c ⅌ ctl.

**Dried Fruits**

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ⅌ lb, sun dried, 4½@5½c; evaporated, 6@7½c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7½c; Moorpark, 8@8½c; sun dried, 5½@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@9c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5@6½c; Plums pitted, 4@5c, do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ⅌ lb 50 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80, 4½c; 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c, ungraded, 2@3c; Pears, sliced, 4@5c, quartered, 4@6c; Figs, Smyrna, ⅌ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@3½c ⅌ lb.

**Dairy Produce and Poultry.**

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ⅌ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 18@19c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 15@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 32½@35c; store, 21@25c; Eastern, 28@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ⅌ lb, 8@10c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 10@12c; Western, 11@12c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $3 50@4 00; young, $4 00@5 00; fryers, $3 50@4; broilers, large, $3 50@4; small, $3@3 50; Hens, doz, $5@6; Ducks, old, $4 50@5 50; young, $4 50@5 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@11c; dressed, 9@11c; Geese, pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1@1 25 ⅌ doz; Ducks—Teal, $1 small, $1; Mallard, $2 50; Canvasback, $2@3; Sprig, $1 50@1 75; Widgeon, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50; White $1@1 25; Hare, $1@1 25; Rabbits $1 25@1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2.

**San Francisco Meat Market.**

No particular change in any description. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5@5½c; second quality, 4@4½c; third do, 3@3½c, ⅌ lb.

VEAL—Large, 7@8c; small, 7c ⅌ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 4½@5c; Ewes, 4@4½c ⅌ lb.

LAMB—5½@6c ⅌ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 3¾@4c for heavy and medium grain-fed, and 4c ⅌ lb for small lst; dressed do, 5½@6½c, ⅌ lb.

## RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

**Produce and Poultry.**

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| Eggs, California, ⅌ doz | $ 35 | @ | 40 |
| Butter, choice, ⅌ roll | 50 | @ | 55 |
| Turkeys, ⅌ lb | 12 | @ | 14 |
| Chickens, Broilers, apiece | 35 | @ | 50 |
| Chickens, hens, apiece | 55 | @ | 70 |
| Chickens, Roosters, apiece | 50 | @ | 75 |
| Geese, apiece | 75 | @ | 1 00 |

**Vegetables and Fruits.**

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| Potatoes ⅌ lb | 1½ | @ | 1 |
| Summer squash, ⅌ lb | 5 | @ | |
| String Beans, ⅌ lb | 6 | @ | 7 |
| Tomatoes, ⅌ lb | 4 | @ | |
| Strawberries, ⅌ box | 15 | @ | 15 |
| Rasberries | 25 | @ | 30 |
| Green Apples, ⅌ basket | 20 | @ | 75 |
| Grapes, ⅌ box | 75 | @ | 1 00 |

## SETTLED THE CLAIM.

### The Railroad Company Pays Damages to Heirs.

Daniel Jackson was killed by the railroad train at West Berkeley last January. The deceased left a widow and two children and they filed a claim for damages against the Southern Pacific Company. Now the company has come to the conclusion that it is better to settle the claim than go into court. The mother of the minors has been offered $500 and she has accepted. She has now applied to the court to sanction her action.

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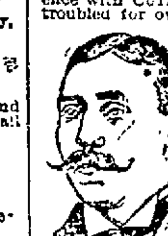

I feel it is my duty to tell you my experience with CUTICURA REMEDIES. I have been troubled for over nine years with a dreadful skin disease. When I first felt it, there appeared a few small red spots on my breast, and it kept on spreading slowly. It started the same on my back, between my shoulders. A few days after the spots turned gray, and began itching. Small scales would fall off, so it continued spreading all over my body. I tried all the patent medicines I could think of or get hold of. I also consulted doctors. Yes, they would cure me in a short time, but they always failed. Then I gave it all up, thinking there was no cure for me. I noticed your advertisement in the Tacoma *Morning Globe*, and thought I would try the CUTICURA REMEDIES. To my surprise, three boxes of CUTICURA, one cake of CUTICURA SOAP, and three bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT cured me entirely. My skin is now as pure and white as that of a child.

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| 7:30 A | Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis | 6:15 P |
| 7:58 A | Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa | 5:50 P |
| 9:00 A | Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff | 3:15 P |
| 9:30 A | New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite) Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East | 5:10 P |
| 9:30 A | Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East | 10:10 A |
| 9:30 A | Martinez and Stockton | 10:10 A |
| *9:30 A | Peters and Milton | *6:32 P |
| 12:55 P | Niles, San Jose and Livermore | 8:15 A |
| 4:28 P | Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa | 8:50 A |
| 4:32 P | Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento | 10:20 A |
| 4:58 P | Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno | 6:52 P |
| 5:33 P | Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles | 10:10 A |
| 6:23 P | Haywards, Niles and San Jose | 7:15 A |
| 6:30 P | European Mail for Ogden and East | 9:20 A |
| §7:30 P | Vallejo | §7:20 P |
| 7:30 P | Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East | 10:20 A |

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| 8:15 A. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz (Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations | 5:11 P. |
| *2:55 P. | Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations | *11:14 A |
| 1:15 P. | Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos | 9:41 A. |
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CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

**DIVIDEND NOTICE.**

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

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JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

**ANNUAL MEETING.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal. December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

**Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.**

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

LEGAL.

**Adjudication of Insolvency.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

**Adjudication of Insolvency.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to her, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

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And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

**Application for Change of Name.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of Lilly Magnin for change of name.

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, the petition of Lilly Magnin respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is and for a long time past immediately preceding the filing of this petition has been a bona fide resident of the County of Alameda, State of California, over the age of twenty-one years.

That your petitioner was born at San Leandro, State of California.

That the present name of your petitioner is Lilly Magnin and that the name the petitioner wishes to assume in the place and stead of Lilly Magnin is Lilly Hesser, the maiden name of petitioner.

That the reason why petitioner wishes to change her name is that she has obtained a divorce from her husband, one Joseph Magnin, and does not wish to be known in the future as Mrs. Lilly Magnin.

That the father of your petitioner is now deceased and the names of the near relatives of your petitioner are as follows, to wit: Mrs. A. Hesser, mother of petitioner, and Miss Minna Hesser, sister of petitioner, both residing at San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Clara Herrscher, sister of petitioner, residing at San Leandro, California.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will fix time and place for the hearing of this application and upon such hearing will make an order changing your petitioner's name from Lilly Magnin to Lilly Hesser.

Dated December 20, 1894.

LILLY MAGNIN, Petitioner.

JAS. P. SWEENEY Esq., Attorney for Petitioner, No. 217 Sansome Street, San Francisco.

**Notice to Creditors.**

*Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-Law, Mills Building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

EBENEZER CARD, Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

**Probate Notice.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California. No. 4150, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckholter, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckholter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckholter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 24th day of December A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 5, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK, FRICK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

**Probate Notice.**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California—No. 4151, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

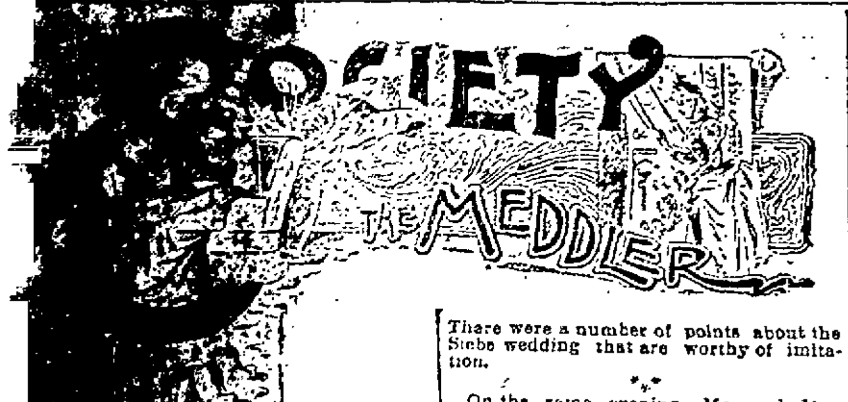
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Phidelia Watson, deceased, and for the issuance to Albert Dunsinger of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

WM. & GEO. [illegible], Attorneys for Petitioner.




# [HO]LIDAY HOURS.

## [illegible] Fine Parties to Be Given at Christmas.

## [illegible] Events Are Signalizing the Season.

## [illegible] and Stories as Gathered by "The Meddler."

[illegible] has been a little more worth living [illegible] week. There have been some few [illegible] going on in spite of the turkey and [illegible] berry cider that greets you, like a [illegible] ghost, at every corner. To begin, [illegible] was the Deux Temps last Saturday [illegible] Ked Howard led and of course it [illegible] jolly, though they do say that in spite [illegible] that thinning spot on top of his head [illegible] does not lead as well as some of the [illegible] boys. One of the belles of the [illegible] was Miss Mabel Estee, who made [illegible] a reputation as a wit while campaign[ing] with her distinguished father this fall. [She] is decidedly an interesting girl, very [en]tertaining in conversation and much [above] the average society girls in intelli[gence]. I was glad to see that the men [were] not afraid of her on this account. [No] one had more partners than she and [her] dark, vivacious face was finely con[trasted] by Ethel Kellogg's blonde one, full [of re]pose. Miss Estee is very young, but [the] social advantages she has enjoyed [have] cultivated her powers of repartee un[til] they are far keener than those of many [older] society women. Living at the Palace [Hotel] for years and meeting all the not[ed] men in politics count when the girl is [re]ceptive. Ethel Kellogg and Amy Re[quа], as usual, were perfectly charming in [new] gowns.

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On Monday, Miss Estee was the guest-of-honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Judge Henshaw, with whom she stayed during her week in Oakland. It was one of the prettiest luncheons I was ever at, and so daintily served. Exactly twelve were at table, among them: Miss Estee, Mrs F. W. Henshaw, Mrs. Wil Henshaw, Mrs. Tylor Henshaw, Miss Requa, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Myra Prather, Miss Ethel Kellogg, Miss Ethel Moore and Miss Jessie Glascock.

The decorations were effectively chosen for a young girls' luncheon. The table was all in Duchess roses and maiden hair ferns, and pink artificial roses held the bonbons. After the luncheon, each guest wore her pink bonbon rose high in the hair. It was all very sweet and pretty. They talked as young girls love to talk, and the chaperones proved no dampeners of enjoyment.

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Aside from this one luncheon of note, East Oakland has been decidedly quiet, though I think they have had the advantage of us in the way of festivity, even as it is. On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright celebrated their wooden wedding anniversary with a very pretty party. Best of all, it was a dancing party—a thing the younger married set are rarely treated to. They too frequently settle down to whist and conversation, spiced with scandal. It is a great mistake. I always did think there was a connection between whist and gray hairs. But, at the Albright anniversary, all the furniture was removed and they danced, with interludes of music and a few jolly games. There were a number of pretty wooden gifts, ingeniously chosen, and a buffet supper. After supper, there was more dancing and more music. A brilliantly handsome girl, a cousin of Mrs. Albright, whose name, I am told, is Miss Mitchell, was present. She is not an Oakland girl, and her charming appearance attracted much favorable comment.

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On Wednesday night, in all that frightful downpour, Miss Siebe was married at the residence of her relative, Mr. Christ, on Fourteenth street. It was a charming wedding and very elaborate. That is the German idea, you know, and they really take much more pains over these festivities than we do. There was also a charming feature, not of the ordinary, at this wedding. One of the little Christ children was christened, and the affair partook doubly of the nature of a family festival. All the prominent Germans in town were there and all the leading members of the Deutscher Klub were present.

The tenor of the decorations was red. There was holly everywhere, red-shaded lamps and candles under red shades. It gave the whole house a festive air and Christmas cheer and made it one of the [most c]heerful wedding scenes I ever saw. I am afraid it was decidedly un-American. We run to pale, white flowers, and they to warmth and color. Give me the glowing bride to the pale, sickly one, and no bride could fail to be glowing and good to see under the splendor of this crimson light. And then the supper! It beggars description. It was a feast—bountiful, delicious and charmingly served. There were all sorts of delicious meats, salads, oysters, entrees, dainty and new desserts and an assortment of most excellent wine. They ate for at least two hours, and there were toasts innumerable and a variety of good cheer. Miss Hallahan catered and also decorated the long table in the attic, which was lit with candles under red canopies. Forty guests sat down to the feast, and at each plate there were red rose bon-bons.

There were a number of points about the Siebe wedding that are worthy of imitation.

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On the same evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cohen received, informally, their Fruit Vale neighbors. The entertainment was in honor of the two brides in the family—Mrs. Howard W Bray, *nee* Marion Albright, and *Mrs.* Gus Bray, *nee* Lucille Edwards. Music and recitations were the order of the evening, and I am sure everybody had a perfectly charming time. They were mostly young married people who were present, and the invitation list was almost entirely confined to the Fruit Vale friends. Among the guests were the Frank Wellmans, Miss Thornton, the Mageеs, the Wrights, Mrs. Frank Wilson of Berkeley, and a number of others.

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Really those Fruit Vale people have a very jolly time among themselves in spite of the defections among their ranks in the shape of absentees. The Wellmans gave a supper this week, complimentary to Miss Lowland, who is betrothed to Will Wellman, and will be the next accession to a large and very united family. Wasn't it a pretty little idea? All the family and their wives, husbands and children were present.

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These are all the things of importance that our friends at the other side of the lake have been doing this week. Dr. and Mrs. H. Isaac Jones gave a very informal little dinner to some city people on Tuesday evening. It was really more of a tea than a dinner—just some light, simple refreshments and later an evening at the play—part of the company taking in Salvini.

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Bessie Gaskill's marriage to Vernon Waldron, was very quiet. There were only the most intimate friends for guests, a few gifts, some heart-felt congratulations, tears, smiles, farewells, and they were off. Bessie seems a little girl to most of us, but she is a very sweet little girl and the man she has chosen is in every way worthy of her. The Gaskills are one of the oldest families, while Mr. Waldron is comparatively a recent arrival among us, but has now many friends and everybody likes him. Besides he is a successful business man, charming of manner, and being very good looking. What more would you have?

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There is an amusing little story they are telling about Maud Russell's wedding. It took place at the Metropole, you know, and the bride was very fair in pure white. The ceremony took place in one of the hotel parlors and there were no ushers or maids. The minister stood near the door, and the room was filled with the assembled guests. But the bride and groom only took one step inside the door and remained standing not two feet from the entrance. Scarcely anyone could see them though everybody craned their necks and tried hard. After the benediction, they did not wait to be congratulated but fled precipitately to the upper regions, whence they emerged in a few moments garbed for travel. The bride did not even cut the cake, and neither came into the supper room. Instead they were driven rapidly away in a carriage. It seems the bride was inordinately afraid of rice and the ordinary congratulations. She wished to escape it all, and consequently hurried through everything. It was the most rapid transit marriage I have ever seen.

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And there was the theater. We have reveled in Salvini and romance this week. I think I never saw a prettier house than the Macdonough on the opening night. There were so many gorgeous theater waists and so many prettily dressed heads, almost all guiltless of hats. I was so enamored of the house that I almost forgot to look at the play, though I think Salvini is quite the handsomest fellow I ever saw. What should we say, Signor Salvini? But to return to the house. We really look very well when we try real hard, and wear our pretty clothes, that we are far too prone to leave lying in cedar chests. Monday night we were very gay—Tuesday scarcely less so. Miss Mamie Pope of Highland Park, a blonde in pale blue, looked particularly well Monday night. I thought she was as dainty as a bit of Dresden, in a big picture hat. Miss Estee, who who accompanied the Henshaws, also looked very well. I wish we had theater and box parties all the time. Don't you?

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And I have it for a fact that there are to be two cotilions given by the old Cotilion Club after New Year's. Isn't that jolly? We haven't settled yet on the leaders, but you may depend it will be good fun. Meanwhile everybody goes to cotilions in San Francisco, and the younger fry make merry at the Deux Temps. But won't it be like old times to give two cotilions? Get your new gowns ready, girls.

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But in spite of all the gayty, we cannot make merry when we think of poor, dear Mamie Griffin and Mrs. Murry and the double load of affliction they are bearing. Think with what a bitter thrill they will always recall these Christmas holidays. We are remembering them these days and weeping with them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Crouch of East Oakland have returned. Their daughter did not accompany them, but remained to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Tunter. Upon her return in January, she will bring an Eastern girl with her to see what a California winter is like.

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Next Saturday I will tell you a lot about some Christmas dinners that are booked for next week. I also have a special word or two to say to the men. I intended to say it this week, but my letter is rather long and it will keep. I'm afraid they will think I'm severe, but I am not going to go one word beyond the truth and they ought to be able to endure that.

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By the way, Mrs. Harry Melvin's mother, Mrs. Morse of Portland, and her sister, Miss Mary Morse, who have been Mrs. Melvin's guests for some time, are about to return home. Mrs. Melvin and her young son will accompany them, to remain an indefinite length of time.

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Tomorrow afternoon, of course, we shall all be at Mrs. Ralston's at that lively wreath and candy sale, as they say in the dime novels. I'll tell you about that anon. Society will be there in full force, even if it does pour, as I am sure it is going to.

I wish you all a very good Christmas, with many friends, much good cheer, gifts, affection and merriment. Nannie Clay is to have the loveliest dinner I know of, and she's promised to tell me all about it. I am buried in holly as I write, for the children are making wreaths all about me. There is a fragrant whiff of firs and pine in the air, and a great peace like the one that settled over the white world on that wonderful night almost 1900 years ago, when a golden-haired child brought a blessing to us all. We have been wicked and cruel to each other all the year. Let it be good will tonight and a heart full of good wishes to you all, from a good-tempered MEDDLER.

### WALDRON-GASKILL.

One of the prettiest and yet most informal weddings of the season took place in the Gaskill residence, 573 Fifteenth street last Tuesday evening. The bride was Miss Bessie Gaskill and the groom Vernon Waldron, both of this city.

The ceremony was performed in the back parlor of the residence, which, like the other apartments of the home, was beautifully decorated.

While there was a wealth of rich and beautiful flowers, the aroma of which pervaded every apartment, the principal decorative work was in the alcove, in which the ceremony took place, and comprised red holly, brakes and ferns, in admirable harmony with the season.

The alcove was embowered in holiday flowers and, under the radiance of a number of lights with red shades, presented both an unusual and beautiful appearance.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Ritchie of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. This gentleman took up a position within the alcove, and near him stood the groom and best man, N. A. Koser. The bridal party approached the alcove to the measures of the wedding chorus from *Lohengrin*, the bridesmaids appearing as follows: Miss Minnie Walker and Miss May Bates; Miss Lillian Strong and Miss Jessie Anderson; Miss Margaret Gaskill and Miss Edith Gaskill. Then came the ring bearer, Master Sidney Carleton, a cousin of the bride, in white sailor costume, a veritable midshipmite. Next came the bride in white brocaded silk, without orange blossoms or veil, bearing a bouquet of bride roses and attended by her mother, Mrs. B. A. Gaskill.

The groom joined the bride in the presence of the minister, and the ceremony was performed.

After the marriage, a reception took place and was continued throughout the evening.

The bride and groom were the recipients of a number of beautiful gifts. They have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown. On their return they will reside in this city.

### ALBRIGHT WOODEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright entertained about forty of their friends at their Seventh avenue home on Tuesday evening. It was a very jolly occasion, for the celebration was in honor of the fifth anniversary of their marriage—the homely, but merry, wooden wedding. The gifts, all of wood, but many of them very dainty and pretty, were displayed in an upper room. They ranged all the way from rolling pins to wooden boxes, silver mounted, and paintings on wood.

Mrs. Frank Albright, gowned in white silk, received her guests, assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Albright.

The three parlors of the Albright home were gay with holly and greens, and the furniture had all been removed to facilitate dancing. After a short order of dances, there were games, several vocal solos by Miss Dora Goodsell, recitations by Mrs. Marion Albright Bray, an elaborate supper and then songs in which every one joined.

Among those present were: Miss Minnie Livingston, Miss Blix Smith, Miss Mitchell, Miss Grace Hilborn, Miss Mamie Pope, Misses Goodsell, Miss Craft, Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Bray, Clir Morrill, John J. Baumgartner, Duncan Albright, Violet Albright, Richard Ayer, Will Foote, Major and Mrs. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. John Albright, Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, Miss Pearl King and Mr. Powell.

### A PLEASANT PARTY.

Twenty-two members of the Acorema Club attended the Macdonough Theater Wednesday evening to see A. Salvini in *Don Cæsar de Bazan*. After the play the members of the club adjourned to the home of the Misses White and partook of a bounteous repast prepared for the occasion. Those present were: The Misses A. White, K. White, M. McKee, T. Rearden, Eva Crawford, L. Stonesifer, S. Stone, E. Pratt, L. McKillican, M. Hines and L. Worley; Messrs. Ray Kitchener, Will White, Will Mackay, Dr. Taylor, R. Carpenter, N. Whitman, Mr. Ames, Mr. Clifford, Tom Moran and Harry Miller. Mrs. McKillican chaperoned the club.

The Acorema Club has been growing steadily since its organization in May and promises to be one of Oakland's foremost social clubs. Bi-weekly meetings are held at the homes of the members, at which dancing and whist are the entertaining features. Many most enjoyable gatherings have already been held, and the members are looking forward to many others during the present winter. During the season the club is much taken up with tennis.

Marvelous pies for Christmas Day. They should always be prepared with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### GOING ABROAD.

Julius Abrahamson, of the well-known firm of Abrahamson Brothers, is going abroad. He has deserved a vacation after the many years he has devoted to duty, and he now proposes to enjoy it abroad in the midst of congenial acquaintances and friends. Mr. Abrahamson's departure has been mentioned in connection with another wedding in the Abrahamson family, and some have hinted that, on his return to this country, he will be accompanied by a bride. It is true, that the gentleman in question, will attend a wedding in Europe, but it will not be one in which he will appear as a principal. It will be a golden wedding to take place in Berlin and his aunt will be the bride. Mr Abrahamson will leave after the holidays and will be absent in Europe several months.

### A MUSICALE.

A charming musicale was given last Sunday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris and Professor and Mrs. J. H. Hall entertained a number of friends at their residence, 413 Twelfth street. Professor Hall is the leader of the Arion Orchestra, and, assisted by that musical combination, he treated those present to a rare programme of orchestral music.

The members of the organization present were: W. McBain, J. A. Zander, F. Morey, H. Nedderman, H. von Buskirk, A. Berwick, J. Frost, E. Colby, B. Brutche, J. Lantland, M. Braun and A. Hall.

Mrs. J. B. Melvin sang "The Angel's Serenade," with violin accompaniment, by J. H. Hall.

R. Hall Jr., a young violinist of considerable promise, rendered a solo from *The Carnival of Venice*, and also played with Miss Marion Hall in a violin duet.

Mrs. R. Hall, accompanied by Professor R. Hall, sang a solo with very fine effect.

Mr. Harris devoted his attention to the physical wants of the guests, and both Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Hall showed themselves most admirable hostesses. Besides those already named there were present: Mrs. J. A. Zander, Dr. Bluett, the Misses Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchens, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trost, J. B. Melvin and R. Cracker.

### HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS.

Last Thursday night there was a very enjoyable party given by the senior class of the High school in Masonic Hall. The spacious hall was filled with young people and the evening was passed in the manner peculiar to youths who care not for the morrow. There was an additional interest centered in the gathering because, the term "senior" means that, for a number of the members of the class at least, only a few months more remain of school life. The close of the scholastic year will occasion the breaking of many ties of a friendly character which have long existed between the members of the class and, as a consequence, the pleasures of school life can live only in the memory of those who love the past.

The programme comprised a number of choice dance selections which kept the happy crowd of young people in a merry mood until midnight. The party was in the hands of an excellent committee and to them the guests felt extremely grateful for the excellent entertainment afforded.

### WEDDED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmiel was one of the most pleasant of those unusual events which signify a quarter of a century of wedded bliss which have recently been celebrated in this city. It took place at the residence of the couple, 606 Adeline street. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers. A fine dinner was served. The presents were exceedingly handsome. After supper some vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed. The following were among the guests: Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Bond, Mr. and Mrs Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Gaetjen, Mrs. Krenyke, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Carleson, Mr. and Mrs. Viers, Mr. Ruth, A. Viers, H. B. Pangburn, W. Bertram, G. Blakie, Mr. Ruehling Mrs. H. Schmiel, Henry Gaetjen, Herman Gaetjen, Miss T. Anderson, Miss B. Gaetjen, A. Schmiel, Miss C. Schmiel, Miss L. Schmiel Miss E Schmiel, E. Schmiel, G. Schmiel.

The costumes of the ladies were becoming and handsome. The dancing and festivities were continued until the early hours of the morning, and when the guests departed they expressed themselves charmed with the evening's entertainment.

### OFF TO EUROPE.

W. M. Watson of the firm of W. M. Watson & Co., leaves today for an extended trip around the world. It is his intention to visit the principal countries in Europe, and when he returns he will have stories of adventure, and notes of travel voluminous enough to fill a book.

### OAKLAND CYCLE CLUB.

The first grand masquerade ball of the Oakland Cycle Club was given in Military Hall last Thursday evening. The proceeds will be applied to the fund for the new club rooms. The ball was the occasion of a fine gathering of the young people who have acquired a knowledge of the flying wheel and revel in a spin along the country roads, when they are in condition to enable record-time to be made. The guests displayed great versatility in the selection of their costumes, all of which were worn with happy effect, and many of which were both rich and beautiful.

The music was excellent, and the end of the dance programme was reached only too early to satisfy the guests, although the programme comprised twelve numbers, with a number of extras. The success of the ball was considered remarkable, especially in view of the fact that it was the initial terpsichorean effort of the club.

The ball was under the management of the following members:

Committee of Arrangements—I. Bernstein, S. Samuels, A. P. Swain, F. L. Hansen, V. R. Cragen, C. H. Cowell, A. Firbush, T. J. Manning, H. F. Patterson and M. Levy.

Floor Director—C. H. Cowell; assistant, F. L. Hansen.

Reception Committee—John P. Bartelme, Fred Kalin, S. Samuels, F. S. Osgood, M. Levy and F. M. Byrne.

Floor Committee—J. B. Moore, George Beuillett, J. Kitchen Jr., T. J. Manning, E. W. Decker and A. P. Swain.

The officers of the club for 1895 are as follows.

President, T. J. Manning; vice president, W. H. Stanley; recording secretary, H. F. Patterson; financial secretary and treasurer, S. Samuels; captain, John P. Bartelme; first lieutenant, F. L. Hansen; second lieutenant, C. R. Griffith.

Board of Directors—T. J. Manning, John P. Bartelme, H. F. Patterson, S. Samuels, V. R. Cragen, C. F. Lewis, C. H. Cowell, I. Bernstein and A. P. Swain.

Delegates to the California Associated Cycling Clubs—John P. Bartelme, F. L. Hansen and H. F. Patterson.

Like an Arabian Night's Entertainment—supper cooked with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### LOYAL LADIES.

Last Wednesday evening the Loyal Ladies of Clan Macdonald gave a grand ball in College Hall, corner of Twelfth and Harrison streets. There was a fine attendance, and the evening passed off in a most pleasant manner. There were fourteen numbers on the dance programme, and the medley was not reached until every guest had had a surfeit of pleasure.

The Reception Committee consisted of Mrs. McAllister, Mrs. Guild and Mrs. McHaffie. Messrs. Anderson and Rhodes acted as floor managers. The committee in charge of the floor comprised Mrs. Bruce, Miss Cooper and Miss Guild.

The Loyal Ladies are now in an excellent financial condition, and are making commendable progress. The present officers are as follows: President, Mrs. McAllister; ex-president, Mrs. Biers; vice president, Mrs. Hunter; chaplain, Mrs. James Rankin; recording secretary, Miss Biers; financial secretary, Miss Guild; treasurer, Mrs. McHaffie; conductor, Miss McLean; inside guard, Mrs. Baxter; outside guard, Mrs. Porter.

### THE BOYS' CLUB.

Last Tuesday night the Boys' Club gave an entertainment at Third and Franklin streets to their friends. The entertainment was largely attended and all present had a fine time. It was given for the purpose of buying materials and tools for making hammock baskets and useful articles. After the entertainment a meeting was held and the following were elected officers for the year: Charley Marshall, president; Aleck Nevenuer, vice president; Hubert Belisle, secretary; Harold Bishop, treasurer.

### A CHRISTMAS TREE.

Sixty little children from the West Oakland Free Kindergarten, on Peralta and Pacific streets, sang their songs and played their games at Bartlett Hall yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Lessons of politeness, industry, cleanliness, patience, obedience, etc., were woven into their plays, and what might otherwise seem irksome becomes a joy and delight.

The behavior of the children and the success of the programme reflected great credit upon the principal, Miss Winnie McFarland, and her assistant, Miss Alice Brown.

A large Christmas tree was the wondering admiration of the little tots, and they marched home with light hearts, but heavy packages. They received dolls, horses, candy, apples, oranges and some of the pretty work they had made in the school.

### NOTES.

The engagement is announced of Crosby O. Hyde and Miss Daisy Hanson.

Mrs. Hugo Abrahamson will be at home on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 1211 Filbert street.

The wedding of Charles P. Thompson and Miss Laura E. Small will take place January 1st at high noon at the residence of the bride's parents in Berkeley.

The marriage of Sarah Ethel Blethen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blethen, to F. Delemar Dolbier will take place Monday evening next at 8:30 o'clock at 558 Fourteenth street.

When domestic storms threaten, restore peace by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It is perfect.

## HAND IN HAND.

### Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

December 21—Andrew Andker, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19 years, and Francisco Eriksen, a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years; by Rev. I. L. P. Dietrichson.

December 12th—Henry Clay Townsend, a resident of San Francisco, aged 39 years, and Gertrude Elizabeth Samson, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years; by Rev. Henry E. J. Ongerth.

December 11th—James Kerr, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Jessie Guarrino Warren, a resident of Alameda, aged 23 years; by G. A. Swasey, J. P.

December 14th—Joseph Latham, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years, and May Beehan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

December 15th—Adolph Mayor, a resident of Oakland, aged 56 years, and Anna Nolz, a resident of Oakland, aged 48 years; by James Larue, J. P.

December 15th—Andrew Jensen, a resident of Loomis, aged 27 years, and Sophia Macadelene Nielson, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. I. L. P. Dietrichson.

December 15th—Peter August Anderson, a resident of Berkeley, aged 23 years, and Evangeline Berkeley Guinette, a resident of Berkeley, aged 19 years; by Rev. F. J Mynard.

December 16th—Louis Francis, a resident of Murray township, aged 23 years, and Livida Enos, a resident of Murray township, aged 17 years; by Rev. Father Patrick Power.

December 16th—Lucien Rouille, a resident of Oakland, aged 58 years, and Rosie and Mayot, a resident of Oakland, aged 20 years; by Rev. Father Lawrence Sarda.

December 16th—John Elias Dokey, a resident of Oakland, aged 56 years, and Sadie Edwards, a resident of Oakland, aged 41 years; by Rev. Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Joseph Thomas Ennis, a resident of Oakland, aged 58 years, and Jennie Tiffer, a resident of Oakland, aged 58 years; by Rev. Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Albert Rutherford Holborn, a resident of San Francisco, aged 23 years, and Sophie Maude Madge, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. Benjamin Akerly.

December 16th—Michael John Balfe, a resident of San Francisco, aged 40 years, and Mary Louisa May, a resident of San Francisco, aged 51 years; by Rev. Alfred T. Perkins.

December 17th—Samuel Maurice Taber, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years, and Octavine Coe, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

December 17th—Charles Lawrence Lindsay, a resident of Oakland, aged 31 years, and Lillie Gisin, a resident of San Francisco, aged 18 years; by Rev. Elbert R. Dille.

December 17th—Earl James Cassidy, a resident of Salinas, aged 24 years, and Ion Utterback, a resident of Hanford, aged 21 years; by Rev. George W. Beatty.

December 18th—Vernon Waldron, a resident of Oakland, aged 30 years, and Bessie Adelia Gaskill, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. Robert Ritchie.

December 19th—Morris Ones, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years, and Hilda Anderson, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. F. J. Mynard.

December 19th—Edmund Percival Christie, a resident of Sacramento, aged 27 years, and Carrie Marie Simpson, a resident of Centerville, aged 24 years; by Rev. Thomas G. Crump.

December 19th—Joseph Cheney Mowry, a resident of Alameda, aged 36 years, and Elizabeth Helen Jury, a resident of Alameda, aged 18 years; by Rev. Thomas G. Crump.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Ferguson and daughter of Dutch Flat are the guests of Mrs. Helen Boek of 953 Franklin street.

Mrs. Susan Barlow of Park street, Alameda, is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. S. Carlton of Berkeley has returned from a visit to Los Angeles.

Harry Buttell, formerly of this city and Berkeley is traveling in the East.

Louis Wicht has returned from a visit to Brentwood.

Mrs. F. T. Chambers of Alameda was the recipient of a very pleasant surprise party at her residence, Thursday evening.

T. Rodgers of Berkeley will spend the holidays in Sacramento.

The Crescent Social Club of Berkeley gave a pleasant dance at Pythian Hall, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fanny Heims and son of Webster street, left for New York last Monday.

T. L. Harrington and family of East Oakland will spend the holidays at Pasadena.

George Emerson is on his way to Arizona, when he will resume his occupation of mining.

V. J. Galindo of Temescal has returned from a visit to Concord.

H. A. Monsor, pastor of the Christian Church of Berkeley, has returned from a lecturing tour throughout the State.

LEADING styles in millinery at Miss Williams'. Macdonough Theater Building.

Wigs, dominos and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 1153 Washington street.

Miss R. A. Gallagher, Millinery, 1153 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

### LICENSED TO MARRY.

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| John Hildreth Crow | Oakland | 33 |
| Annie Margaret Landholdt | Oakland | 20 |
| Martin Gatgens | Berkeley | 31 |
| Julia Medlin | Berkeley | 19 |
| Joseph Thompson Boyd | San Francisco | 27 |
| Ida Alice Widmer | San Francisco | 26 |
| George David James | San Francisco | 42 |
| Laura Augusta Dingley | West Berkeley | 25 |
| George Schmidt | Berkeley | 34 |
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## A CHRISTMAS TREE.

### An Enjoyable Time at Chester Street Church.

The Chester Street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school gave their Christmas tree last night to the great delight of 250 members and their friends, making a house in which standing room could not be had. Many stood in the vestibule and caught glimpses of the beauty and enthusiasm within.

The little ones from the primary departments gave most of the programme, and delighted parents and teachers by the skill and grace shown.

Santa Claus was present and took the little ones in his arms to their great astonishment and pleasure.

The wonderful "pack" contained a present for each scholar in the school and all went home happy.

The trees were most beautiful, one representing a California Christmas full of bright things. The other grew out of a snowdrift and hung full of the fleecy whiteness to represent Christmas as it is yonder.

"What's the matter with the griddle cakes?" "Why, I forgot to use Dr. Price's Baking Powder."

## SIR CHAS. WILSON'S TRIP.

### He Comes to Inspect the Railroad Property.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, the special delegate of the English holders of Central Pacific Railway securities, arrived at the Oakland mole late yesterday afternoon on a special train from the south. He was met down the road by A. N. Towne, W. H. Mills, W. G. Curtiss, C. C. Brotherton, Isaac Requa and other railroad officials. Sir Charles Wilson represents 60 per cent of the $68,000,000 of Central Pacific stock held in England, Holland and the United States. His mission here is to ascertain as far as possible just how matters stand with the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

Sir Charles Wilson is known as a brilliant financier. He was connected with the settlement of Egypt's great debt.

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Children's Cape Overcoats, ages 4 to 14, for $1 75, at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier, 1017-1019 Broadway.

Exhibition of Pictures and Art Novelties

The public is cordially invited to attend the exhibition of oil paintings, water colors, etchings, hand-painted reproductions and photographs from celebrated European paintings now being displayed at the art rooms of Kenney & Wells, 1110 Broadway. Photo panels, fancy mirrors and art novelties are also to be found in great profusion, with prices lower than ever. Remember you are welcome, whether you intend to purchase or not.

FIRE SETS in iron and brass for $1 at Mitchell & Tutt's, 465 Thirteenth street

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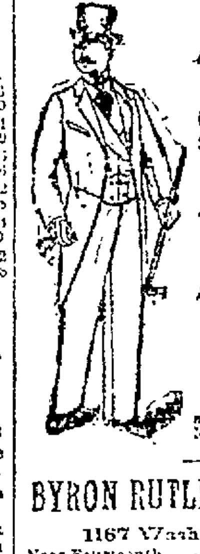

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BUSINESS CHANGE.

F. F. WESTON AND GEORGE W. AUSTIN, having sold all their interest in and to the business of Howlett & Co. and the "Record stable," at 813 Eleventh street, to W. F. Howlett, said Howlett being now sole proprietor, will collect all accounts due said stable and assumes the payment of all bills against said stable.
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# HOLIDAY HOURS.

## ...Fine Parties to Be Given at Christmas.

## ...Guests Are Signalizing the Season.

### ...and Stories as Gathered by "The Meddler."

...been a little more worth living ... week. There have been some few ... going on in spite of the turkey and ... cheer that greets you like a ... ghost at every corner. To begin ... was the Deux Temps last Saturday ... Kid Howard led and of course it ... jolly, though they do say that in spite ... that shining spot on top of his head ... does not lead as well as some of the ... boys. One of the belles of the ... was Miss Mabel Later, who made ... reputation as a wit while campaigning with her distinguished father this fall. ... is decidedly an interesting girl very ... entertaining in conversation and much ... the average society girls in intelligence. I was glad to see that the men ... not afraid of her on this account ... had more partners than she and ... dark, vivacious face was finely contrasted by Ethel Kellogg's blonde one. Just ... Miss Lees is very young but ... social advantages she has enjoyed ... cultivated her powers of repartee until they are far keener than those of many society women. Living at the Palace ... for years and meeting all the notable men in politics counts when the girl is receptive. Ethel Kellogg and Amy Ro... as usual, were perfectly charming in new gowns.

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On Monday Miss Lees was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs Judge Henshaw, with whom she stayed during her week in Oakland. It was one of the prettiest luncheons I was ever at, and so daintily served. Exactly twelve were at table among them Miss Lees, Mrs P. W. Henshaw, Mrs Will Henshaw, Miss Tylor Henshaw, Miss Requa, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Myra Prather, Miss Ethel Kellogg, Miss Ethel Moore and Miss Jessie Glascock.

The decorations were effectively chosen for a young girl's luncheon. The table was all ... and maidenhair ferns and ... roses held the bonbons. At the luncheon, each guest wore her pink bonbon ... high in the ball. It was very sweet and pretty. They talked as young girls love to talk, and the chaperones proved no dampeners of enjoyment.

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Aside from this one luncheon of note East Oakland has been decidedly quiet, though I think they have had the advantage of ... in the way of festivity even as it is. On Tuesday evening Mr and Mrs Frank Albright celebrated their wooden wedding anniversary with a very pretty party. Best of all, it was a dancing party—a thing the younger married set are rarely treated to. They too frequently settle down to whist and conversation, spiced with scandal. It is a great mistake. I always did think there was a connection between whist and gray hairs. But, at the Albright anniversary all the furniture was removed and they danced with interludes of music and a few jolly games. There were a number of pretty wooden gifts ingeniously chosen and a buffet supper. After supper there was more dancing and more music. A brilliant, handsome girl, a cousin of Mrs Albright, whose name, I am told, is Miss Mitchell, was present. She is not an Oakland girl, and her charming appearance attracted much favorable comment.

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On Wednesday night in all that frightful downpour, Miss Siebe was married at the residence of her relative, Mr Christ on Fourteenth street. It was a charming wedding and very elaborate. That is the German idea, you know, and they really take much more pains over these festivities than we do. There was also a charming feature not of the ordinary at this wedding. One of the little Christ children was christened and the affair partook doubly of the nature of a family festival. All the prominent Germans in town were there and all the leading members of the Deutscher Klub were present.

The tenor of the decorations was red. There was holly everywhere, red shaded lamps and candles under red shades. It gave the whole house a festive air and Christmas cheer and made it one of the most cheerful wedding scenes I ever saw. I am afraid it was decidedly un-American. We run to pale, white flowers, and they to warmth and color. Give me the glowing bride to the pale sickly one, and no bride could fail to be glowing and good to see under the splendor of this crimson light. And then the supper! It beggars description. It was a feast—bountiful delicious and charmingly served. There were all sorts of delicious meats salads, oysters, entrees dainty and new desserts and an assortment of most excellent wine. They ate for at least two hours and there were toasts innumerable and a variety of good cheer. Miss Hall then entered and also decorated the long table in the attic, which was lit with candles under red canopies. Forty guests sat down to the feast and at each plate there were red rose bon-bons.

There were a number of points about the Siebe wedding that are worthy of imitation.

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On the same evening Mr and Mrs Alfred Cohen received, informally their Fruit Vale neighbors. The entertainment was in honor of the two brides in the family—Mrs Howard W Bray *nee* Marion Albright and Mrs Gus Bray *nee* Lucile Edwards. Music and recitations were the order of the evening, and I am sure everybody had a perfectly charming time. They were mostly young married people who were present and the invitation list was almost entirely confined to the Fruit Vale friends. Among the guests were the Frank Wellmans, Miss Thornton, the Magees, the Wrights, Mrs Frank Wilson of Berkeley, and a number of others.

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Really those Fruit Vale people have a very jolly time among themselves in spite of the defections among their ranks in the share of absences. The Wellmans gave a supper this week complimentary to Miss Rowland who is betrothed to Will Wellman and will be the next accession to a large and very united family. Wasn't it a pretty little plot? All the family and their wives, husbands and children were present.

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These are all the things of importance that our friends at the other side of the lake have been doing this week. Dr and Mrs H Isaac Jones gave a very informal little dinner to some city people on Tuesday evening. It was really more of a tea than a dinner—just some light simple refreshments and later an evening at the play—part of the company taking in Salvini.

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Bessie Gaskill's marriage to Vernon Waldron, was very quiet. There were only the most intimate friends for guests, a few gifts some heart felt congratulations, tears, smiles, farewells, and they were off. Bessie seems a little girl to most of us but she is a very sweet little girl and the man she has chosen is in every way worthy of her. The Gaskills are one of the oldest families while Mr Waldron is comparatively a recent arrival among us but has now many friends and everybody likes him. Besides he is a successful business man charming of manner and being very good looking. What more would you have?

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There is an amusing little story they are telling about Maud Russell's wedding. It took place at the Metropole, you know, and the bride was very fair in pure white. The ceremony took place in one of the hotel parlors and there were no ushers or aside. The minister stood near the door, and the room was filled with the assembled guests. But the bride and groom only took one step inside the door and remained standing not two feet from the entrance. Scarcely anyone could see them though everybody craned their necks and tried hard. After the benediction, they did not wait to be congratulated but fled precipitately to the upper regions, whence they emerged in a few moments garbed for travel. The bride did not even cut the cake and neither came into the supper room. Instead they were driven rapidly away in a carriage. It seems the bride was inordinately afraid of rice and the ordinary congratulations. She wished to escape it all, and consequently hurried through everything. It was the most rapid transit marriage I have ever seen.

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And there was the theater. We have reveled in Salvini and romance this week. I think I never saw a prettier house than the Macdonough on the opening night. There were so many gorgeous theater waists and so many prettily dressed heads, almost all guiltless of hats. I was so enamored of the house that I almost forgot to look at the play though I think Salvini is quite the handsomest fellow I ever saw. What should we say, Signor Salvini? But to return to the house. We really look very well when we try real hard, and wear our pretty clothes, that we are far too prone to leave lying in cedar chests. Monday night we were very gay—Tuesday scarcely less so. Miss Mamie Lone of Highland Park, a blonde in pale blue, looked particularly well Monday night. I thought she was as dainty as a bit of Dresden in a big picture hat. Miss Lites, who accompanied the Henshaws, also looked very well. I wish we had theater and box parties all the time. Don't you?

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And I have it for a fact that there are to be two cotillions given by the old Cotillon Club after New Years. Isn't that jolly? We haven't settled yet on the leaders, but you may depend it will be good fun. Meanwhile everybody goes to cotillions in San Francisco, and the younger fry make merry at the Deux Temps. But won't it be like old times to give two cotillions? Get your new gowns ready, girls.

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But in spite of all the gayty we cannot make merry when we think of poor, dear Mamie Griffin and Mrs Murry and the double load of affliction they are bearing. Think with what a bitter thrill they will always recall these Christmas holidays. We are remembering them these days and weeping with them.

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Mr and Mrs Elisha Crouch of East Oakland have returned. Their daughter did not accompany them, but remained to spend Christmas with her sister Mrs Tranter. Upon her return in January she will bring an Eastern girl with her to see what a California winter is like.

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Next Saturday I will tell you a lot about some Christmas dinners that are booked for next week. I also have a special word or two to say to the men I intended to say it this week, but my letter is rather long and it will keep. I'm afraid they will think I'm severe but I am not going to go one word beyond the truth and they ought to be able to endure that.

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By the way, Mrs Harry Melvin's mother, Mrs Morse of Portland, and her sister Miss Mary Morse, who have been Mrs Melvin's guests for some time are about to return home. Mrs Melvin and her young son will accompany them, to remain an indefinite length of time.

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Tomorrow afternoon of course, we shall all be at Mrs Ralston's at that lively wreath and candy sale as they say in the dime novels. I'll tell you about that anon. Society will be there in full force, even if it does pour, as I am sure it is going to.

I wish you all a very good Christmas with many friends much good cheer gifts, affection and merriment. Nannie Clay is to have the loveliest dinner I know of, and she's promised to tell me all about it. I am buried in holly as I write, for the children are making wreaths all about me. There is a fragrant whiff of firs and pine in the air, and a great peace like the one that settled over the white world on that wonderful night almost 1900 years ago when a golden-haired child brought a blessing to us all. We have been wicked and cruel to each other all the year. Let it be good will tonight and a heart full of good wishes to you all, from a good-tempered MEDDLER.

## WALDRON-GASKILL.

One of the prettiest and yet most informal weddings of the season took place in the Gaskill residence 573 Fifteenth street last Tuesday evening. The bride was Miss Bessie Gaskill and the groom Vernon Waldron both of this city.

The ceremony was performed in the back parlor of the residence, which, like the other apartments of the home, was beautifully decorated.

While there was a wealth of rich and beautiful flowers, the aroma of which pervaded every apartment, the principal decorative work was in the alcove in which the ceremony took place and comprised red holly, brakes and ferns, in admirable harmony with the season.

The alcove was embowered in holiday flowers and, under the radiance of a number of lights with red shades, presented both an unusual and beautiful appearance.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Ritchie of St Paul's Episcopal Church. This gentleman took up a position within the alcove, and near him stood the groom and best man N A Koser. The bridal party approached the alcove to the measures of the wedding chorus from *Lohengrin* the bridesmaids appearing as follows: Miss Mamie Walker and Miss May Lates, Miss Lillian Strong and Miss Jessie Anderson, Miss Margaret Gaskill and Miss Edith Gaskill. Then came the ring bearer Master Sidney Ortleton, a cousin of the bride in white satin costume a veritable midshipmite. Next came the bride in white brocaded silk without orange blossoms or veil bearing a bouquet of bride roses and attended by her mother, Mrs B A Gaskill.

The groom joined the bride in the presence of the minister, and the ceremony was performed.

After the marriage a reception took place and was continued throughout the evening.

The bride and groom were the recipients of a number of beautiful gifts. They have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown. On their return they will reside in this city.

## ALBRIGHT WOODEN WEDDING.

Mr and Mrs Frank Albright entertained about forty of their friends at their Seventh avenue home on Tuesday evening. It was a very jolly occasion, for the celebration was in honor of the fifth anniversary of their marriage—the homely, but merry, wooden wedding. The gifts all of wood but many of them very dainty and pretty were displayed in an upper room. They ranged all the way from rolling pins to wooden boxes silver mounted and paintings on wood.

Mrs Frank Albright, gowned in white silk, received her guests assisted by her sister-in-law Mrs John Albright.

The three parlors of the Albright home were gay with holly and greens, and the furniture had all been removed to facilitate dancing. After a short order of dances there were games, several vocal solos by Miss Dora Goodsell, recitations by Mrs Marion Albright Bray, an elaborate supper and then songs in which every one joined.

Among those present were Miss Minnie Livingston, Miss Blix Smith, Miss Mitchell, Miss Grace Hilborn, Miss Mamie Pope, Misses Goodsell, Miss Craft, Mr and Mrs Stephenson, Mr and Mrs Frank Wellman, Mr and Mrs Howard W Bray, Clara Morrill, John J Baumgartner, Duncan Albright, Violet Albright, Richard Ayer, Will Foote, Major and Mrs Albright, Mr and Mrs John Albright, Mrs Robertson, Mr and Mrs Frank Albright, Miss Pearl King and Mr Powell.

## A PLEASANT PARTY.

Twenty two members of the Acorema Club attended the Macdonough Theater Wednesday evening to see A Salvini in *Don Cæsar de Bazan*. After the play the members of the club adjourned to the home of the Misses White and partook of a bounteous repast prepared for the occasion. Those present were: The Misses A White, K White, M McKee, F Rearden, Eva Crawford, E Stonesifer, S Stone, I Pratt, L McKillican, M Hines and L Worley. Messrs Ray Kitchener, Will White, Will Mackay, Dr Taylor, R Carpenter, N Whitman, Mr Ames, Mr Clifford, Tom Moran and Harry Miller. Mrs McKillican chaperoned the club.

The Acorema Club has been growing steadily since its organization in May and promises to be one of Oakland's foremost social clubs. Bi-weekly meetings are held at the homes of the members at which dancing and whist are the entertaining features. Many most enjoyable gatherings have already been held and the members are looking forward to many others during the present winter. During the season the club is much taken up with tennis.

Marvelous pies for Christmas Day. They should always be prepared with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## GOING ABROAD.

Julius Abrahamson, of the well known firm of Abrahamson Brothers is going abroad. He has deserved a vacation after the many years he has devoted to duty, and he now proposes to enjoy it abroad in the midst of congenial acquaintances and friends. Mr Abrahamson's departure has been mentioned in connection with another wedding in the Abrahamson family, and some have hinted that, on his return to this country, he will be accompanied by a bride. It is true that the gentleman in question, will attend a wedding in Europe but it will not be one in which he will appear as a principal. It will be a golden wedding to take place in Berlin and his aunt will be the bride. Mr Abrahamson will leave after the holidays and will be absent in Europe several months.

## A MUSICALE.

A charming musicale was given last Sunday evening, when Mr and Mrs J W Harris and Professor and Mrs J H Hall entertained a number of friends at their residence 413 Twelfth street. Professor Hall is the leader of the Arion Orchestra and, assisted by that musical combination he treated those present to a rare programme of orchestral music.

The members of the organization present were W McBain, J A Zander, I Morey, H. Nedderman, H. von Buskirk, A Berwick, J Frost, L Colby, B Brutche, J Ganfland, M Braun and A Hall.

Mrs J. B Melvin sang 'The Angel's Serenade,' with violin accompaniment, by J. H. Hall.

R Hall Jr, a young violinist of considerable promise rendered a solo from *The Carnival of Venice* and also played with Miss Marion Hall in a violin duet.

Mrs. R. Hall, accompanied by Professor R. Hall, sang a solo with very fine effect.

Mr. Harris devoted his attention to the physical wants of the guests, and both Mrs. Harris and Mrs Hall showed themselves most admirable hostesses. Besides those already named there were present Mrs J. A Zander, Dr. Bluett, the Misses Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cutter, Mr and Mrs Hutchens, Mr and Mrs. J A Trost, J B Melvin and R Cracker.

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS.

Last Thursday night there was a very enjoyable party given by the senior class of the High school in Masonic Hall. The spacious hall was filled with young people and the evening was passed in the manner peculiar to youths who care not for the morrow. There was an additional interest centered in the gathering because, the term "senior" means that, for a number of the members of the class at least, only a few months more remain of school life. The close of the scholastic year will occasion the breaking of many ties of a friendly character which have long existed between the members of the class and, as a consequence the pleasures of school life can live only in the memory of those who love the past.

The programme comprised a number of choice dance selections which kept the happy crowd of young people in a merry mood until midnight. The party was in the hands of an excellent committee and to them the guests felt extremely grateful for the excellent entertainment afforded.

## WEDDED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

The silver wedding of Mr and Mrs. Fred Schmiel was one of the most pleasant of those unusual events which signify a quarter of a century of wedded bliss which have recently been celebrated in this city. It took place at the residence of the couple 636 Adeline street. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers. A fine dinner was served. The presents were exceedingly handsome. After supper some vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed. The following were among the guests: Dr and Mrs P T Bond, Mr and Mrs Wober, Mr and Mrs Gaetjen, Mrs Lionyke, Mr and Mrs Ferguson, Mr and Mrs Carleson, Mr and Mrs Viers, Mrs Laub, A Viers, H B Fairgoury, W Bertram, G Blakie, Mr Fuching, Mrs H Schmiel, Henry Gaetjen, Herman Gaetjen, Miss L Anderson, Miss B Gaetjen, A Schmiel, Miss C Schmiel, Miss L Schmiel, I Schmiel, G Schmiel.

The costumes of the ladies were becoming and handsome. The dancing and festivities were continued until the early hours of the morning and when the guests departed they expressed themselves charmed with the evening's entertainment.

## OFF TO EUROPE.

W M Watson of the firm of W M Watson & Co, leaves today for an extended trip around the world. It is his intention to visit the principal countries in Europe and when he returns he will have stories of adventure and notes of travel voluminous enough to fill a book.

## OAKLAND CYCLE CLUB.

The first grand masquerade ball of the Oakland Cycle Club was given in Military Hall last Thursday evening. The proceeds will be applied to the fund for the new club rooms. The ball was the occasion of a fine gathering of the young people who have acquired a knowledge of the flying wheel and revel in a spin along the country roads, when they are in condition to enable record time to be made. The guests displayed great versatility in the selection of their costumes all of which were worn with happy effect and many of which were both rich and beautiful.

The music was excellent and the end of the dance programme was reached only too early to satisfy the guests although the programme comprised twelve numbers with a number of extras. The success of the ball was considered remarkable, especially in view of the fact that it was the initial terpsichorean effort of the club.

The ball was under the management of the following members:

Committee of Arrangements—J. Bartelme, S Samuels, A P Swain, E L Hanson, W K Gragen, C H Cowell, A Lubbush, J J Manning, H F Patterson and M Levy.

Floor Director—C H Cowell, assistant, E L Hanson.

Reception Committee—John P Bartelme, Fred Kahn, S Samuels, J S Osgood, M Levy and L M Byrne.

Floor Committee—J B Moore, George Bradlett, J Kitchen Jr, J J Manning, L W Decker and A P Swain.

The officers of the club for 1895 are as follows:

President, J J Manning, vice president W H Stanley, recording secretary H F Patterson, financial secretary and treasurer S Samuels, captain John P Bartelme, first lieutenant E L Hanson, second lieutenant C R Griffith.

Board of Directors—J J Manning, John P Bartelme, H F Patterson, S Samuels, W K Gragen, C L Laws, C H Cowell, I Bernstein and A P Swain.

Delegates to the California Associated Cycling Clubs—John P Bartelme, E L Hansen and H F Patterson.

Like an Arabian Night's Entertainment—supper cooked with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

## LOYAL LADIES.

Last Wednesday evening the Loyal Ladies of Clan MacDonald gave a grand ball in College Hall corner of Twelfth and Harrison streets. There was a fine attendance, and the evening passed off in a most pleasant manner. There were fourteen numbers on the dance programme, and the medley was not reached until every guest had had a surfeit of pleasure.

The Reception Committee consisted of Mrs McAllister, Mrs Guild and Mrs McHaffie. Messrs Anderson and Rhodes acted as floor managers. The committee in charge of the floor comprised Mrs Bruce, Miss Cooper and Miss Guild.

The Loyal Ladies are now in an excellent financial condition and are making commendable progress. The present officers are as follows: President Mrs McAllister, ex president, Mrs Piers, vice president Mrs Hunter, chaplain, Mrs. James Rankin, recording secretary, Miss Biers, financial secretary Miss Guild, treasurer Mrs McHaffie, conductor, Miss McLean, inside guard Mrs. Baxter, outside guard, Mrs Porter.

## THE BOYS' CLUB.

Last Tuesday night the Boys' Club gave an entertainment at Third and Franklin streets to their friends. The entertainment was largely attended and all present had a fine time. It was given for the purpose of buying materials and tools for making hammock baskets and useful articles. After the entertainment a meeting was held and the following were elected officers for the year: Charley Marshall president, Aleck Nevender vice president, Hube Ellis, secretary, Harold Bishop treasurer.

## A CHRISTMAS TREE.

Sixty little children from the West Oakland Free Kindergarten, on Peralta and Pacific streets, sang their songs and played their games at Bartlett Hall yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Lessons of politeness industry, cleanliness patience obedience, etc were woven into their plays and what might otherwise seem irksome becomes a joy and delight.

The behavior of the children and the success of the programme reflected great credit upon the principal, Miss Winnie McFarland, and her assistant, Miss Alice Brown.

A large Christmas tree was the wondering admiration of the little tots and they marched home with light hearts, but heavy packages. They received dolls, horses, candy, apples, oranges and some of the pretty work they had made in the school.

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## NOTES.

The engagement is announced of Crosby O Hyde and Miss Daisy Hanson.

Mrs Hugo Abrahamson will be at home on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 1211 Filbert street.

The wedding of Charles P Thompson and Miss Laura B Small will take place January 1st at high noon at the residence of the bride's parents in Berkeley.

The marriage of Sarah Ethel Blethen daughter of Mr and Mrs J I Blethen to F Delamar Dolbier will take place Monday evening next at 8:30 o'clock at 535 Fourteenth street.

When domestic storms threaten restore peace by using Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It is perfect.

## HAND IN HAND.

### Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

December 21—Andrew Andker a resident of San Francisco, aged [illegible] years and Francisco Larksen a resident of San Francisco aged [illegible] years, by Rev J L L Dietrichson.

December 12th—Henry Clay Townsend, a resident of San Francisco aged [illegible] years and Gertrude Elizabeth Samson a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years, by Rev. Henry J Ongerth.

December 11th—James Kerr, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Jessie Guarrino Warren a resident of Alameda aged [illegible] years by G A Swasey J P.

December 14th—Joseph Latham a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years and May Beehan a resident of San Francisco, aged 25 years, by Rev Alfred Kummer.

December 13th—Adolph Mayer a resident of Oakland aged 50 years and Anna Nolz a resident of Oakland, aged 45 years, by James Larue J. P.

December 14th—Andrew Jenson, a resident of Loomis aged 27 years and Sophia Magadelene Nielson, a resident of Oakland aged 24 years, by Rev E. L. P. Dietrichson.

December 15th—Peter August Anderson a resident of Berkeley aged 23 years and Evangeline Lakeley Guinette a resident of Berkeley, aged 19 years, by Rev F J Mynard.

December 16th—Louis Francis a resident of Murray township aged 23 years and Elvida Lucas a resident of Murray township aged 17 years, by Rev Father Patrick Power.

December 16th—Lucien Rouille, a resident of Oakland aged [illegible] years and Rosie and Mayot a resident of Oakland, aged 20 years by Rev Father Lawrence Serda.

December 16th—John Ellis Dokey, a resident of Oakland, aged 56 years and Sadie Edwards, a resident of Oakland, aged 41 years by Rev Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Joseph Thomas Linis a resident of Oakland aged 45 years and Jennie Laffer a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years by Rev Campbell Coyle.

December 16th—Albert Rutherford Holborn a resident of San Francisco aged 25 years and Sophie Maude Madge a resident of Oakland aged 21 years, by Rev Benjamin Akerly.

December 16th—Michael John Balfe a resident of San Francisco aged 35 years and Mary Louisa May a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years, by Rev. Alfred J Perkins.

December 17th—Samuel Maurice Faber a resident of Oakland aged 25 years, and Octavine Coe a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years by Rev Alfred Kummer.

December 17th—Charles Lawrence Lindsay a resident of Oakland, aged [illegible] years and Tillie Gisn a resident of San Francisco aged 18 years, by Rev Liberc L Dille.

December 17th—Earl James Cassidy a resident of Salinas aged 24 years and Ivy Utterback, a resident of Hanford aged 21 years by Rev George W Beatty.

December 18th—Vernon Waldron a resident of Oakland, aged 30 years and Bessie Adelia Gaskill a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years by Rev Robert Ritchie.

December 19th—Morris Ones a resident of Oakland aged 25 years and Hilda Anderson, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years by Rev F J Mynard.

December 19th—Edmund Percival Christie a resident of Sacramento aged 27 years and Carrie Marie Simpson a resident of Centerville aged 21 years, by Rev Thomas G Crump.

December 19th—Joseph Cheney Mowry a resident of Alameda, aged 26 years, and Elizabeth Helen Jury a resident of Alameda aged 18 years, by Rev. Thomas G. Crump.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Ferguson and daughter of Dutch Flat are the guests of Mrs Helen Bock of 353 Franklin street.

Mrs Susan Barlow of Park street Alameda, is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs S Carlton of Berkeley has returned from a visit to Los Angeles.

Harry Butsell, formerly of this city and Berkeley is traveling in the East.

Louis Wicht has returned from a visit to Brentwood.

Mrs F T Chambers of Alameda was the recipient of a very pleasant surprise party at her residence Thursday evening.

T Rodgers of Berkeley will spend the holidays in Sacramento.

The Crescent Social Club of Berkeley gave a pleasant dance at Pythian Hall, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fanny Heims and son of Webster street left for New York last Monday.

T I Harrington and family of East Oakland will spend the holidays at Pasadena.

George Emerson is on his way to Arizona where he will resume his occupation of mining.

V J Cañado of Temescal has returned from a visit to Concord.

H A Mensar, pastor of the Christian Church of Berkeley, has returned from a lecturing tour throughout the State.

LEADING styles in millinery at Miss Williams. Macdonough Theater Building.

Wigs, dominos and masquerade supplies at Marvin's Hair Parlors, 11 Washington street.

Miss P. A Gallagher Millinery 1151 Washington street. Orders a specialty.

## LICENSED TO MARRY.

| NAME | RESIDENCE | AGE |
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| John Hildreth Crow | Oakland | [illegible] |
| Annie Mar... Landholdt | Oakland | [illegible] |
| Martin Gogens | Berkeley | [illegible] |
| Julia Medlin | Berkeley | [illegible] |
| Joseph Thompson Boyd | San Francisco | [illegible] |
| Ida Alice Wilmer | San Francisco | [illegible] |
| George David James | San Francisco | [illegible] |
| Laura Annett... Jung | West Berkeley | [illegible] |
| George Schmidt | Berkeley | [illegible] |
| Nellie Maria Culligan | Berkeley | 33 |
| Lester Magill | San Francisco | [illegible] |
| Mary Mont... Marques | San Francisco | [illegible] |

## A CHRISTMAS TREE.

### An Enjoyable Time at Chester Street Church.

The Chester Street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school gave their Christmas tree last night to the great delight of 250 members and their friends making a house in which standing room could not be had. Many stood in the vestibule and caught glimpses of the beauty and enthusiasm within.

The little ones from the primary departments gave most of the programme and delighted parents and teachers by the skill and grace shown.

Santa Claus was present and took the little ones in his arms to their great astonishment and pleasure.

The wonderful 'pack' contained a present for each scholar in the school and all went home happy.

The trees were most beautiful, one representing a California Christmas full of bright things. The other grew out of a snowdrift and hung full of the fleecy whiteness to represent Christmas as it is yonder.

"What's the matter with the griddle cakes?" "Why, I forgot to use Dr. Price's Baking Powder."

## SIR CHAS. WILSON'S TRIP.

### He Comes to Inspect the Railroad Property.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, the special delegate of the English holders of Central Pacific Railway securities, arrived at the Oakland mole late yesterday afternoon on a special train from the south. He was met down the road by A. N Towne, W. H. Mills, W G Curtiss, C. C. Bratherton, Isaac Requa and other railroad officials. Sir Charles Wilson represents 60 per cent of the $68,000,000 of Central Pacific stock held in England, Holland and the United States. His mission here is to ascertain as far as possible just how matters stand with the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

Sir Charles Wilson is known as a brilliant financier. He was connected with the settlement of Egypt's great debt.

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Do you know that the Metropolitan Furniture Company on the corner of Thirteenth and Washington streets has two large stores filled with the best selection of furniture at astonishing low prices.

The Ferris Wheel rolls on merrily at the Grand Rule Bazaar, corner Ninth and Washington streets. Everybody is invited to visit Santa Claus.

Children's Cape Overcoats, ages 4 to 11, for $1.75 at J. T. Moran's, Leading Clothier 1017-1019 Broadway.

Exhibition of Pictures and Art Novelties.

The public is cordially invited to attend the exhibition of oil paintings, water colors, etchings, hand-painted reproductions and photographs from celebrated European paintings now being displayed at the art rooms of Kenney & Wells 1110 Broadway. Photo panels, fancy mirrors and art novelties are also to be found in great profusion with prices lower than ever. Remember you are welcome, whether you intend to purchase or not.

FIRE SETS in iron and brass for $1 at Mitchell & Tutt's, 465 Thirteenth street.

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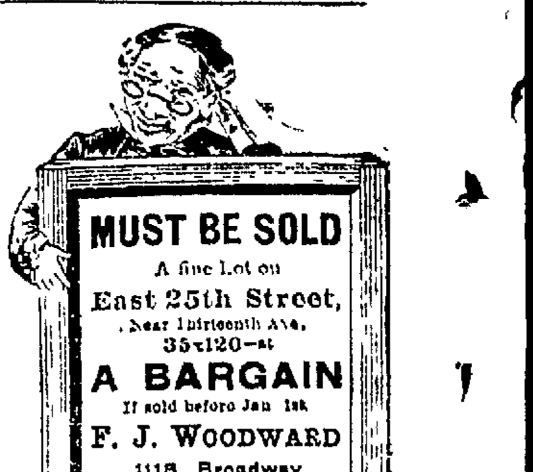


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BUSINESS CHANGE.

F. P. WESTON AND GEORGE W. AUSTIN, having sold all their interest in and to the business of Howlett & Co and the 'Record stable,' at 413 Eleventh street, to W P Howlett, said Howlett being now sole proprietor, will collect all accounts due said stable and assumes the payment of all bills against said stable.

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Thursday, December 27.

AT 10 A. M.

On the premises, the old established and well-known COAL YARD, at SIXTH AND FRANKLIN STS., OAKLAND, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Lease to June 1, 1895, at $3 per month.

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